THE WEATHER

Fair and somewhat warmer tonight and Sunday; light variable winds.

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CITY MUST RESTORE NESMITH FUNDS

Slayer of Brewster Still at Large

TWO GIRL STUDENTS MISSING

FLOWER DAY FOR LOCAL TEXTILE STRIKERS IS BIG SUCCESS

Girls Engaged in Sale of Flowers Meet With Cheerful and Generous Response---Emergency Order Sent to Boston for More Flowers---Labor Leaders Well Pleased With Results

Twelve thousand flowers sold during the forenoon.

That was the verdict at textile strike headquarters this noon when the strike leaders were asked with what success the "flower" girls were meeting. So brisk was business this forenoon that all the flowers on hand were disposed of and an emergency order was sent in to Boston for 5000 more.

"Flower" day was organized by the strike committee in an endeavor to raise funds for the strikers in distress and according to reports at noon results were far greater than anticipated. Everyone approached by the flower girls responded cheerfully and generously.

Sixty volunteer "salesladies" called at strike headquarters in Central street as per arrangements early this morning and each was equipped with flowers of various colors, and cash boxes. The little army of workers left the headquarters shortly before 7.30 o'clock and after "capturing" street corners in the central part of the city, sold their "wares" to pedestrians.

Frank Stimpson, secretary of the Trades & Labor council, who was handling the office part of the "flower" day, was taken by storm and the appeals of

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Armed Officer Warns Michael Collins

BELFAST, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Michael Collins, upon his arrival this afternoon at Killarney to deliver an address, was met outside the depot by an Irish republican army officer, armed with a revolver, who warned him that he would not be allowed to speak until an incident at Listowel, County Kerry, where the officer alleged one of his men was fired at, had been cleared up.

Mongolia's Independence Proclaimed

COPENHAGEN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—A Helsingfors despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., states that the North Mongolian government, in Urga at the instigation of the Moscow government, has proclaimed Mongolia's independence of China. The Urga government, says the message, also has concluded a treaty with the Russian government under which the latter pledges active support to Mongolia in the event of a Chinese invasion.

LAST DAY

FOOD FAIR

THE KASINO

1.30 to 10 P. M.

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This Coupon

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Admits You

To the Food Fair when exchanged at the box office for a regular 30-cent (including war tax) ticket.

Sign your name here—

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Each afternoon and evening some lucky person will receive a basket of groceries.

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A young man of good education and a talent for writing, to learn newspaper reporting. Apply in writing, stating qualifications.

Address R-24, Sun Office.

THE NESMITH FUND PROBLEM

Solicitor Tierney Allows City Will Have to Restore Missing Money

Question Hinges on Manner in Which it Shall Be Restored

Last Payments of Interest Were Made in Month of March, 1918

City Solicitor Edward J. Tierney said today that the only probable result of the hearing before the supreme judicial court on the first Monday in June on the Nesmith funds, will be that the city will, sooner or later, be obliged to restore the funds and that the only question to be determined is as to the manner in which this will be accomplished.

It may be that a question asked by Everett E. Turbox of Commissioner James E. Donnelly in 1918, when he rendered to the latter an opinion on the disappearance of the funds after completing an audit of the city's books, may again be asked in connection with the case when it comes be-

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RICHARDS APPOINTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR

Joseph L. Richards of 194 Mt. Hope street has been appointed a deputy collector of internal revenue for Massachusetts and will take up his new work next Monday. The appointment came from the office of Malcolm D. Nichols, collector for this state.

Mr. Richards is prominently identified with a number of local organizations and has served a number of terms as president of the C.M.A.C.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, April 22.—Exchanges $837,900,000; balances $70,500,000.

Weekly: Exchanges $4,886,400,000; balances $932,800,000.

Northfield Seminary Students Have Not Been Seen Since Sunday; Police Probe Disappearance

NEW SYSTEM OF HANDLING CASES

Judge Enright Plans to Facilitate Business in District Court

Quick Disposal of All Cases in Which Continuances Are Asked

More Liquor Cases on Docket—Motorist Fined $25—Other Cases

Inaugurating a new system of handling cases in the district court, a lengthy list was disposed of in short order by Judge Thomas J. Enright this morning. Two cases, which were booked to draw state farm sentences, were tried and put out of the way in five minutes. Following this, all cases in which continuances were to be asked were called. The court requested this procedure of the lawyers. In less than 10 minutes the docket was clear of all cases, excepting those ready for trial, and these were pushed to a finish in about one hour and a half. Former Saturday sessions have been interrupted by the

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VESSELS RAIDED IN IRISH PORTS

50 Armed Men Shot Watchman and Set Steamer Aflame at Dublin

Six Men Boarded Gunboat in Kingstown Harbor and Made Off With Gun

DUBLIN, April 22.—Fifty armed men raided the steamer Rathlinhead anchored here this morning, shot and wounded the watchman on board, sprinkled the decks and fittings with gasoline, set the vessel aflame and made off.

The crew with the assistance of regular Irish republican army troops, extinguished the flames before any very serious damage had been done.

Boarded Gunboat

DUBLIN, April 22.—Six men were seen at midnight last night boarding the gunboat Helga in Kingstown harbor, says a Central News despatch. A party of regular troops rowed out to the Helga, but the raiders had disappeared, taking with them the barrel of a three-pounder gun.

Demands Action by Dail

DUBLIN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press.).—Lord Mayor O'Neill

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The New Owners of

ASSOCIATE HALL

Desire to Lease it For One Year to Responsible Parties

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Also Two Stores on Merrimack Street

PARENTS JOIN IN SEARCH

Pawtucket, R. I., and Ohio Freshmen Missing From School for Five Days

Pair Last Seen Sunday Afternoon Talking to Someone in Automobile

NORTHFIELD, April 22—Emma Safford, 22, of Pawtucket, R. I., and Bernice Hollinshead, whose home is in Ohio, freshmen at Northfield seminary, have been missing from the school for five days.

Police today continued investigating their disappearance with the aid of the parents of the girls, who have come here to aid in the search.

Fellow students said they saw the young women Sunday afternoon talking to someone in a touring car. They were not seen again by those who knew them

Neither girl had baggage or any great sum of money when they left.

Miss Safford, it was learned today, is an orphan and has made her home with her guardian, Mrs. Ernest Sellew of Pawtucket, R. I. She was sent to Northfield last fall to take a special course. It has been learned from Mrs. Sellew that the girl felt that she was not making good progress and had

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MAN IS BADLY BURNED IN LOCAL DYE WORKS

Arthur Foley, aged 26 years, living at 3 rear of 36 Smith street, and employed at the Bay State Dye Works in Howe street, was badly burned while at work today and is in a serious condition at the Lowell General hospital.

It is understood that Foley was employed on one of the washing machines at the works, when suddenly flames burst out under the machine. In his attempts to put out the fire, which was caused by gasoline, the young man received painful and serious burns about the body, hands, arms and face.

Frederick G. Leary, proprietor of the works, removed the injured man to the hospital in his automobile. Dr. Gardner, who attended him, stated this afternoon that owing to the nature of the burns he considers the man's condition very serious.

As soon as the fire was discovered an alarm was sent in from box 8 and several pieces of apparatus responded. There was no damage to the building or machinery and it is not known how the gasoline ignited.

ALLEGED PICKPOCKETS ARRESTED HERE

Two alleged pickpockets, giving the names of Frank Zell and George Edwards, respectively, of Boston and New York, were taken from a Hooksett-bound train at the local depot at about 11.30 o'clock this morning by Patrolman Jeremiah Dooley and arrested on complaint of a Nashua man, who claimed he had been "touched" by the pair while on the train.

The men are about 35 years of age, and Officer Dooley recognized one of them as a man he had arrested about 10 years ago on a similar charge.

The Nashua man claimed that while one of the pair engaged him in conversation, the other systematically relieved him of money and other valuables.

HUNT SLAYER OF TICKET AGENT

State and Local Police Seek to Unravel Winchester's Mysterious Murder

Two Officers Turn Spotlight of Investigation to New Hampshire

Hat Bearing Manchester Mark Retained as Clew—Believe Revenge Cause of Murder

WINCHESTER, April 22.—While state and local police were preparing for another day's work in seeking out the person who shot and killed Ralph W. Brewster, Boston and Maine station agent, in his office here Thursday evening, State Officer Kirlin and Patrolman Thomas McCauley of the Winchester force were turning the spotlight of the investigation to New Hampshire.

Officer Kirlin, who went to Pittsfield, N. H., Brewster's former home, yesterday, in an attempt to learn whether the murdered agent had any enemies who might have done the shooting, telegraphed Chief of Police McIntosh early today that he would not return until late this afternoon. The message was not made public, but it was known

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MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE IS DISMISSED

Edward R. Everett was discharged on a charge of manslaughter, brought against him in connection with the death of a child, when he appeared before Judge Thomas J. Enright in district court this morning.

The charge was placed against Everett several weeks ago, following the death of the child, who was killed when run down by a coal truck driven by Everett.

The court said that Judge Fisher's report of the inquest absolved Everett or any other persons from criminal negligence in connection with the death of the youngster.

The case has been listed on the court docket several times in the past two months, but each time disposition has been held up pending the result of the inquest.

Lowell Choral Society

At the

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Tuesday, Evening, April 25

JEANNETTE VREELAND, soprano
MILDRED BRYARS, contralto
CHARLES STRATTON, tenor
WALTER KIDDER, baritone

Boston Festival Orchestra

Good seats may be obtained at the Box Office of the Opera House, today, at.....$1.00 and $1.10

There are also four hundred seats being sold at.....50c each

CHORUS OF 225

Lowell Choral Society

SELF-CONFESSED BURGLAR HELD IN $5000 FOR GRAND JURY

William J. Sternberg Pleads Guilty to Larceny on Two Counts---He Was Arrested in the Donovan Building Yesterday Morning While Ransacking an Office---Says He Turned Burglar Because He Was Broke and Out of Work

William J. Sternberg, self-confessed burglar, was held in $5000 bail for the next session of the grand jury, when he appeared before Judge Thomas J. Enright in district court this morning to answer to larceny charges. He pleaded guilty to larceny on two counts of watches and other jewelry from Ricard and Smith's shop in the Mansur building. He appeared in court yesterday morning and was booked on other counts and held in $3000 bail for his appearance today. The charges involving the Ricard and Smith break were specifically lodged against him today and before his appearance at the grand jury session evidence will be worked up which may result in a number of indictments being returned.

Sternberg was arrested about 2 o'clock Friday morning by Officers Paul Spillane and William F. Liston, who, working together, discovered him in the Donovan building at 267 Central street. According to the story told at police headquarters, Officer Spillane was patrolling his beat on Central street and, passing the Donovan building door, noticed that it was open. Just then Officer Liston, who was going home, happened by.

Liston guarded the door while Spillane investigated the third and fourth floors. He found offices in a topsy-turvy condition. The doors of about 10 offices had been forced by some sharp, heavy instrument. When the officer reached the office of Dr. William M. Collins he discovered his man. He called Officer Liston and, with drawn revolvers, the officers entered and placed Sternberg under arrest. At the police station both officers are booked as the arresting ones.

A charge of breaking and entering in the night time was placed against him following his arrest Friday. When he appeared in court yesterday his case was continued at the request of the police who wished to make investigations.

According to the police, Sternberg

WILLIAM J. STERNBERG

admitted all the breaks put up to him. When questioned as to why he had not tackled something on a larger scale he said that he was not a yeggman and simply took up burglary because he was broke, had nothing else to do and had to eke out an existence in some manner.

Sternberg claims to have been in both Worcester and Pittsfield previous to his visit to Lowell. Nothing definite regarding his past history has yet been uncovered by the criminal investigating department of the local police. Both the Worcester and Pittsfield police have been requested, by letter, to furnish knowledge, if they have any, of Sternberg's alleged visits in those cities.

LOCKS AND CANALS ACCEPTS CITY'S OFFER OF $20,000 FOR OVAL

Much Discussed Area in First Street Will Be Acquired by Immediate Purchase---Mayor Receives Notice of Action of Directors of Company at Meeting Held Yesterday

The First street oval property will be purchased by the city from the Locks and Canals for $20,000, the amount of the offer recently submitted to the company by the city through the chairman of the board of park commissioners.

Mayor George H. Brown today received notice from the Locks and Canals, quoting a vote passed by the directors of the company at a meeting held yesterday, whereby the city's offer is accepted, provided that payment is made within two months and taxes are adjusted to the date of sale.

The culmination of the deal, which now is a certainty, brings to an end an agitation for the purchase of this land that stretches back for some time and once it is in the city's hands and development of the area is made, it will fill a long felt need for an adequate playground and sport field at such a short distance from the heart of the city.

Last year, Mayor Perry D. Thompson secured a verbal option from the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals, whereby the city would have first claim on the land, but the option was not taken up because of lack of funds.

Already a loan order for $20,000 has been introduced in the city council and ordered advertised and it will be ready for adoption at next Tuesday night's meeting. The order was presented a week ago Thursday night by Councilor Smith J. Adams, in anticipation of acceptance of the city's offer by the Locks and Canals.

As correctly as it can be figured out, the outright purchase of the land for $20,000 means a saving of approximately $15,000 to the city when comparison is made with the money that necessarily would have had to be expended if acquirement were made by seizure. This would have meant payment of the assessed valuation, which is in the neighborhood of $32,000, plus 25 per cent.

Mayor Brown already has authorized Supt. Kernan of the park department to go ahead with the development of the land as far as possible, with the idea of getting at least one baseball surface in shape for use this summer.

Now that the purchase of the land is assured, it is believed that agitation for the erection of a high school stadium will be revived and it would not be strange if active committees were appointed from the alumni to take the preliminary steps along this line.

France Protests German Reply to Note

GENOA, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The French delegation to the economic conference has submitted a protest against the German reply to the allied note in which the Germans stated they would refrain from discussing Russian questions settled in the Rapallo-German treaty. The French contend that the Germans, under their reply, may insist upon discussing other Russian questions.

Reindeer Steak Will Soon Grace the American Table

WM. T. LOPP AND AN ALASKAN REINDEER

BY PHILIP SINNOTT

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, April 18.—Get ready to eat reindeer meat, folks. The reindeer experiments of Uncle Sam and William T. Lopp, in Alaska have proven a great success.

The first drive of 1500 steers, from the home range to a big distributing point, is already under way. The Alaskan railway and steamers to the states will get the product out to the consumers.

More than 800 miles will be traversed by this herd, moving from Good News Bay to Ililey Creek on the railway. The herd will pasture and fatten on the moss-covered plains along the railway. In the fall they will be slaughtered.

A Different "Drive"

It is a far different "drive" than those of the western cattle men. Instead of warm weather, the herd was started in winter, to insure streams being frozen over.

Other herds will follow this to the vicinity of the railroad, where a 12,000 square mile area is open for feeding them, and transportation is at hand. Surplus steers from other herds will be brought in regularly, and the offspring of the 1280 reindeer the government imported from Siberia will be a factor in feeding not only Alaska but part of the United States.

As a palatable, nourishing food, reindeer meat finds favor wherever marketed in America. Besides the meat and the raw skins, tanned reindeer skins are used for gloves, military trousers, chamois polishers and book binding. Reindeer hair is used in Europe for filling life-saving apparatus. From reindeer horns, a fine quality of glue is made.

But to the Eskimo is the reindeer most valuable. Alive, it represents a value of $25 a head. It is an excellent sled animal traveling in snow too deep for dogs. Dead, his meat assures a food supply and a trading commodity, and its skin provides the material for making every garment worn.

Eskimos Benefit

Twenty-five years ago, the Eskimos owned nothing. Today, those in the reindeer industry own herds worth over $4,000,000, have an assurance of a profitable livelihood, and real business judgment.

Here is where Lopp has succeeded. He's chief of the Alaska division, U. S. Bureau of Education, and has taught the Eskimos the reindeer business.

Pioneers will tell you of Lopp's part in the Point Barrow Relief Expedition of 1897, when with four Eskimos, he drove 400 reindeer across the treacherous ice and wind-swept Arctic winter coast for 750 miles, to feed a starving people.

SHOE INDUSTRY MAY LOCATE HERE

The John R. Donovan Shoe Co. is seeking a location in this city and in the event that no desirable place can be found here, it is probable that the company will shift its activities to Manchester, N. H. This company is now doing business in Lynn, but it is trying to get away from that city because union organizations there will not accept wage reductions, and the officials of the company claim they cannot operate at a profit under present conditions. John R. Donovan, a representative of the firm, spent a few days in this city this week and was shown a large, well equipped plant, formerly used for the manufacture of shoes. The company will decide shortly whether Lowell or Manchester will be its next place of business.

FIFTH REGIMENT'S TRIP DELAYED

Lowell will not see the Fifth regiment from Portland en route for Camp Devens until about the middle of May. Previous plans called for an earlier march, but delays have been experienced and the outfit will not leave the Maine city until after the first of the month. Lowell post of the American Legion has planned to escort the regiment through this city.

McGLINCHEY CASE IS POSTPONED

A postponement pending the result of the inquest has been made in the case of Jeremiah J. McGlinchey of this city, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Elijah Jones, a prominent lumber dealer of Pelham, on Sunday, April 9. The case was to have come up in Andover yesterday.

Jones' death occurred while riding with the Lowell man in an automobile near Haggett's pond on the Andover road, the machine crashing into a telephone pole and causing the Pelham resident's fatal injuries. McGlinchey suffered but minor injuries. About a week will elapse before the case comes to trial, according to expectations.

BELLEAU WOOD MEMORIAL FUND

Lowell's fund toward the Belleau Wood memorial now stands at $240 and is steadily climbing through the medium of $1 memberships. This is a part of the national campaign to secure $300,000 with which the shell-torn town of Belleau may be rebuilt and that the American cemetery there may be developed. Local people interested in the fund may contribute to George R. Chandler, treasurer, at the Union National bank, or to Robert F. Marden, chairman of the campaign committee.

Vitamines and Your Blood

Don't be misled by sensational claims. There's nothing new about vitamines, except that scientists have just discovered and named them. They are in your food now, just as they always have been. Hood's Sarsaparilla saves all the vitamines now, just as it always has done.

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"Although I am 56, I feel as young as 20 years ago, and perform all household duties." MRS. J. P. MOORES, Lisbon Falls, Me.

TODAY begin to take Hood's.

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Elvita Pills have stood the test for over 50 years. Thousands praise them for rundown condition, general debility, nervous prostration, nervous weakness, nervous exhaustion, mental depression and unstrung nerves, caused by the influenza or from overindulgences in alcohol, tobacco or excesses of any kind.

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The Famous Elvita Remedies are sold in Lowell by Sam McCord, 356 Merrimack St., Fred Howard, 197 Central St., and all reliable druggists.

A SCRAMBLED ROYAL ROMANCE

It was generally expected that the betrothal of the Prince of Wales to Lady Rachel Cavendish would be announced upon his return to England. However, a report that emanates from a source close to the royal household has it that the engagement of the Duke of York, the crown prince's brother (above), to Lady Rachel and of the Prince of Wales to Lady Mary Cambridge (left), his first cousin, will be announced soon.

ANNUAL INDOOR DRILL

Fine Exhibition Last Night by Boys of Lowell High School

Cadets of the Lowell high school regiment treated 500 or more spectators to a fine exhibition of military and gymnastic work at last night's drill held in the high school annex.

Included in the program were prize drills, individual and mass gymnastics, and a dress parade by three companies of the regiment. The program was opened with a fine concert by the high school regiment band under the leadership of Lieut. Fred C. Laite.

The individual prize drill was then in order and about 25 candidates responded to the assembly call. At the end of the first period all but 11 boys were eliminated, while at the end of the second only four remained. The prizes were awarded to: First, Corp. David Browning, Co. F; second, Corp. Komenus Soukaris, C. D.; third, Private John Parker, Co. E.

A drill by the freshman class followed. This drill was a gymnastic one under the supervision of Donald R. McIntyre. Companies C, F and G then went through part of Butts manual in snappy style. Another squad from the freshman class offered another gymnastic drill, following which was a competitive drill between the fifth squad of Co. A and the first squad of Co. C. The judges, Maj. James J. Powers, Capt. Arthur H. Cashin and Capt. S. R. Waller, awarded Co. C. the red ribbon for the better work.

A sabre drill by the officers, a tin cup fight between James Gleason of Lowell and William Martin of Worcester and a dress parade by Companies C, F and G closed the program.

The prizes were awarded by Mayor George H. Brown. The affair was carried out under the direction of Principal Henry H. Harris, Maj. Colby T. Kittredge, James Conway and Mr. McIntyre. Mrs. Hertha M. Huse played the piano accompaniment for the various gymnastic drills.

DIVISION EIGHT A. O. H. ANNIVERSARY

Division 8, A.O.H., will celebrate its 32d anniversary on next Monday evening in A.O.H. hall, Middle street. The observance will be featured by speaking and a musical program of high order.

The speakers of the evening are men who have shown great interest in A.O.H. affairs for a number of years, and their remarks are certain to be not only eloquent but timely. Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph.D., pastor of St. Peter's church, is a speaker of note, and his educational attainments are such that his remarks are highly entertaining on whatever subject he may discuss. County President Thos. F. Linehan of Malden owes his rise to his high position in the order to extensive knowledge of its underlying principles and exceptional executive ability. Patrick J. Reynolds is a well known young local attorney, and his eloquence has been appreciated by all who have heard him in the past. Historian John Barrett, who is to relate the history of the division since its institution, has proved his capability on many occasions, and his narrative of his division's progress and accomplishments will be of great interest to all who attend.

An excellent musical program will be carried out by popular entertainers.

PRIZES AWARDED AT WHIST PARTY

A most enjoyable whist party took place in St. Margaret's parish hall last night, with an excellent attendance. After the playing had been brought to a close the following prizes were awarded: Smoking set, donated by Mrs. J. J. Brown, William Kearn; candy, donated by Mrs. C. Bagshaw, Mrs. James Bruin; cut glass celery dish, donated by Mrs. Joseph Burke, Mrs. Joseph Burke; silk stockings, donated by Mrs. James H. Casey, Mrs. E. McCarthy; handkerchiefs, donated by Miss Della Darvarn, Miss R. Sullivan; fudge apron, donated by Miss Anna Flynn, Miss M. Toye; mahogany tray, donated by Mrs. D. Foye, Mrs. J. J. Ryan; crumb tray and brush, donated by Mrs. E. Cole, Miss Alice Griffin; cut glass flower basket, donated by Miss Minnie Gorman, James Hearn; rubber apron, donated by Mrs. W. Hickey, Mrs. Geo. Hamilster; bath towel, donated by Mrs. E. V. Kelly, Miss Whaley; cuff links, donated by Miss Mary Moynahan, Harry Ryan; cut glass dish, donated by Mrs. P. McCarthy, Mrs. Hanabury; vase, donated by Mrs. P. Ryan, Miss Julia Driscoll; nasturtium dish, donated by Mrs. M. Sharkey, Miss Elizabeth N. Fluhaven; wicker flower basket, donated by Mrs. Edward Tierney, Miss M. Hayes, cut glass jello dish donated by Mrs. Mary Welch, Mr. J. J. Walsh.

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ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office during the week: Cambridge Savings bank vs. Frederick S. Mosley et als. of Boston, action of contract, $40,000; Fred Teppfer, Lawrence, vs. William A. O'Malley of Dracut and Eugene F. Callahan of Lowell, action of contract, $1000; William L. Morrison of Boston and Conner Bros. of Lowell vs. John Brady and James C. Donovan, action of tort, $5000; Ambrose H. Creamer vs. Simon Lane, action of contract, $3000.

D. OF R. CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Business sessions devoted to reports from state regents and action on the report of the resolutions committee formed the concluding day's program for the 31st congress here of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday in North and Middle States:

Generally fair and rising temperature first half and unsettled and normal temperature latter half.

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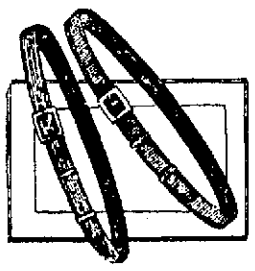

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Men's light weight union suits of ribbed cotton—short sleeves—regular and stout sizes.

Men's Wear—Street Floor

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All wool serge—made with yoke and inverted pleat back—coat mohair lined, also both pairs of pants are lined. Sizes 7 to 17 years.

All Wool Middy Suits

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For boys 3 to 8 years old—made of blue serge, trimmed with three rows of white braid on collar and cuffs—pants lined.

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39c Each

Percale and chambray blouses for boys 6 to 15 years—pretty patterns.

BOYS' KOVERALLS

$1.25 Pair

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Boys' Clothing Section—Basement

Men's $1, $1.25, $1.50

Shirts

Now 79¢ 2 for $1.50

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A fortunate purchase of these 200 Shirts enables us to offer today $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 values at only **79c Each—2 for $1.50.** They're separated into four lots, as follows—

Lot 1—High grade negligee shirts, made of fine count percale and madras, in a large assortment of stripes; French cuffs. Regular $1.50 value.

Lot 2—Attached collar shirts of good quality cotton and pongee. Regular $1.00 and $1.50 values.

Lot 3—Negligee shirts with attached collar. A good variety of stripes, in fine count percale. Regular $1.00 value.

Lot 4—Chambray shirts with collar attached—dandy work shirts—made with one or two pockets, reinforced cuffs. Sizes 14½ to 18½. Regular $1.00 and $1.25 values.

MINERS' PLAN TO END STRIKE

Would Return to Work Pending Negotiation of New Wage Agreement

Vice Pres. Murray Submits Proposition at Debate in New York

NEW YORK, April 22.—The coal miners will declare the strike off and return to work, pending negotiation of a new wage agreement, if congress will pass a joint resolution or bill, applying the bituminous coal commission's award of 1920 to all soft coal operations, Philip Murray, vice president of the United Mine workers of America, declared last night at a debate on the coal strike.

Another movement, he said, would be recommended to President Harding to call a national conference of the representatives of all operators and mine workers to negotiate a new agreement.

He also recommended as a permanent policy for regulating production and stabilizing the industry, the appointment of a representative technical and official commission, "charged with the duty of collecting and analyzing all the facts and with making sound and appropriate constructive recommendations."

The subject debated was, "What lies back of the coal strike and what lies ahead." Mr. Murray presented the miners' side of the controversy and Thomas H. Watkins, president of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Co., the operators' viewpoint. The public's attitude was interpreted by Harry A. Garfield, president of Williams college, who was national coal administrator under former President Wilson, and by Robert W. Bruere, director of the bureau of industrial research.

The application of the award of the president's coal commission of 1920 to both union and non-union fields, Mr. Murray stated, would remove from the union operators "the menace of the vicious competition of non-union operators and bring about uniformity in wages and working conditions."

"As soon as these conditions were brought about," he said, "there would be no opposition to a national conference of operators and mine workers, and a new working agreement without doubt, would be negotiated."

Mr. Watkins contended that the operators had encouraged the principle of collective bargaining between miners and operators in large groups, but it has "temporarily broken down by action of the mine workers."

"Their failure to spread their control over the large non-union fields, of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and other states can partly be attributed," he said, "to the fact that they have broken away from the true principles of collective bargaining and have adopted autocratic, coercive methods in the organized fields."

"Collective bargaining gradually faded away," he added, "and for it was substituted collective threatening, so that it has now grown to be the custom to approach the conference table, at which they ask us to sit, with what might be termed a sand bag in their hands in the way of an authorized strike vote if their demands are not granted."

Mr. Garfield said the consumer of coal is not warranted in demanding that he pay less for the product delivered at his home or factory than shall represent fair profit and fair wages and a just return for transportation and a fair commission to those who perform necessary functions in the distribution of the product.

"What the public objects to," he declared, "and to this the public has every right to object, is that fair profits, excessive wages, unnecessarily large freight charges and commissions shall be laid upon him, and this without the opportunity to be heard or the power to prevent. He is entitled to be heard through his chosen representatives whenever he is called upon to pay more than is fair or whenever —and this more important still—this necessary basic commodity is denied to him."

LOCOMOTIVE SHOPS TO BE CLOSED

BOSTON, April 22.—The Boston & Albany railroad announced today that at the close of business on Wednesday, April 26, its locomotive shops at West Springfield, Mass., would be closed for an indefinite period. The shutdown will affect about 325 men. A marked falling off in business, due in large measure to the local strike, was assigned as the reason for the curtailment. Announcement was made that the carshops at West Springfield would continue to run on full time for the present.

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TO TAKE STRIKE VOTE

Ballots Distributed to 600,000 Members of Railway Employes of A. F. of L.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Grievances centering about the contract system employed by some railroads in the handling of repair work has resulted in a vote for distribution of strike ballots to the 600,000 members of the Railway Employes Department of the American Federation of Labor.

This department comprises the six federated shop crafts and the Switchmen's union of North America.

Authorization for the strike ballots was voted at the sixth biennial convention of the department, which has been in session here two weeks and which concluded its sessions today. The vote to send out the ballots was taken yesterday and officers declared that it was a counter move to "an effort to crush our organization completely."

"If there is a strike, and I feel sure our men will vote solidly for it, it will be in protest of the action of railways in ignoring decisions of the United States Railway Labor board," said B. M. Jewell, president of the Railway Employes Department.

The Labor board now has pending several complaints against the contract or farming out system.

AMBULANCE AND TOURING CAR IN COLLISION

BOSTON, April 22—Six persons, including a nine-months-old baby suffering with diphtheria, were badly shaken up when a City hospital ambulance was wrecked in a collision with a touring car at Otis and Summer streets last night.

The baby, Joseph Bass, aged nine months, of 79 Salem street, was in a hammock-like swing, suspended from the roof of the ambulance, being driven from the Haymarket Relief hospital to City hospital by Driver John F. Kelleher of 603 East Fourth street, South Boston.

Driver Kelleher, sounding the gong of the ambulance loudly, was piloting the car across Summer street when the large touring car sideswiped it, forcing it to the right and against a curb at the corner of Kingston and Summer streets, directly in front of a cigar store. Two windows were broken in the ambulance, the front wheels were bent from shape, shock absorbers torn from their fastenings, and a hole ripped in the side by the top frame of the touring machine. The sling protected the infant from further injury than a shaking up.

John M. Clayton of 679 Willett ave., Barrington, R. I., an employe of the Providence branch of the Packard Motor Car company, and driver of the other machine, suffered from shock and fainted, as did one of the young women with him.

No arrests were made by the police. Another ambulance, hastily called from City hospital, removed Baby Bass to that institution.

LOWELL'S BIG FOOD FAIR CLOSES TONIGHT

The Food fair will close today. Until 10 o'clock tonight the glittering display will be on for its final time, and all who have not availed themselves of the opportunity to sample some of the many good things at the Kasino should not fail to visit the Kasino this evening.

The electrical display of L. A. Derby & Co. is of unusual beauty and brilliancy. It is complete in every detail and it shows not only the illuminating possibilities of your home, but it gives you a complete idea of the many little comfortable fixtures which can be adjusted. Mr. Derby personally put much time into this display, and it has received most favorable comment by all who have seen it.

Afternoon and evening there will be radio concerts at the Kasino, giving to all who have not experienced the pleasure an idea of just what comes through the air from the broadcasting stations of the country.

In addition there will be the Ampico concerts which have given so many persons real delight. Nothing has been left undone to make this fair one of the most attractive ever seen here or in nearby cities. The state association of retail grocers and provision dealers has gone quite the limit in bringing to the attention of thousands of Lowell people the wonderful new foods and the wonderful new ways of preparing them.

Without specifying any booth, it should be said that there are several which in all honesty give wholly new and practical ideas to housekeepers.

It is your last chance to see this big fair, and one which will not be duplicated again in years, in all probability.

DECISIONS ANNOUNCED BY COMMR. LANDIS

CHICAGO, April 22.—Baseball Commissioner Landis today awarded the services of Joseph Cosgrove to the Waterbury club of the Eastern league. He managed the team in 1921.

A "year's dissociation from ineligibles" must elapse, Commissioner Landis held, before Sidney Agnew, formerly of the New York Americans, who refused to report to Hartford when transferred under an optional agreement, may play again in organized baseball.

PROSPERITY IN SIGHT

Country Around Curve, Says Comptroller — Warns Against Speculation

GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 22.—A warning against a growing tendency toward speculation throughout the country as business conditions improve, was sounded today by Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger in an address before the Florida Bankers' association. He urged the bankers to advise their clients toward sound investments and to use their influence "to prevent fly-by-night schemes."

Recent reductions in interest rates, Mr. Crissinger declared, have been too generally regarded by the speculative public as a sign of easy profits when at the present time it was of supreme importance that money and credit should be available to sustain renewed business activity.

Mr. Crissinger declared that he was glad to bring a message of assurance that the country was indeed around the curve and moving steadily and surely forward on the road to more prosperous conditions.

"The business outlook for the whole country," he continued, "is brighter and more encouraging than it has been for the past two years."

REPORT OF BIRTHS

April 3—To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Begley, 91 London street, a son.

April 5—To Mr. and Mrs. Armand Martin, 73 Willie street, a daughter.

April 7—To Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cornock, 78 Blossom street, a son.

April 8—To Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Waldron, 129 Cushing street, a son.

April 9—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fay, 71 London street, a son.

April 10—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Conniff, 22 Walnut street, a daughter.

April 11—To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith, 108 Washington street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Metthews, 127 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henri Boisvert, 831 Merrimack street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Quinn, 84 Gates street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Costas Georgeou, 190 Sprague avenue, a daughter.

April 12—To Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Belanger, 253 Cumberland road, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Delphis Roy, 397 School street, a son.

April 13—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Narus, 67 Crosby street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reakos, 722 Central street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Henri Patenaude, 9 Varley avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Stevens, 37 South Loring street, a son.

April 14—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moriarty, 11 Brooks street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Archambault, 20 Joliette avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Maxime Mousseau, 183 Perkins street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Albert d'Angelo, 354 Middlesex street, a son.

April 15—To Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Dubois, 33 Tucker street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Prudhomme, 10 Lilley avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, 96 Fourth avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Maxime Guillemette, 50 Colburn street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Pierce, 30 Coral street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Richards, 113 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Gregorees Vglanitsopoulos, 7 Hennessey's court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Dean B. Yarnell, 271 Thorndike street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cronin, 16 West Third street, a daughter.

April 16—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vallee, 7 Dane street avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bentas, 268 Methuen street, a son and daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Oxeliphas Breton, 316 Aiken street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Lemelin, 14 Pawtucket street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. George Langlais, 24 James street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Speros, 154 Adams street, a son.

April 17—To Mr. and Mrs. Caesar d'Angelo, 14 Rogers street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Charlonka, 123 Railroad street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dumont, 161 Woburn street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Baillargeon, 14 Pawtucket street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Gagnon, 497 Moody street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, 703 Aiken street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Dowd, 433 Central street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Erving G. Loveland, 187 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cochrek, 96 Andover street, a son.

April 18—To Mr. and Mrs. John Mekras, 71 Dummer street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agrella, 2 r. 183 Moody street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. James Cullan, 1575 Varnum ave., a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Zepherin Moule, 19 Crane street, a daughter.

April 19—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Jarvis, 83 Westford street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lagasse, 39 Perrin street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Makera, 30 Fulton street, a son.

April 20—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Magan, 21½ Fourth street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ovide Demers, 163 Fanell street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gorvais, 511 Bridge street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Courtois, 10 Aiken avenue, a daughter.

HOLY ROSARY SOCIAL A GREAT SUCCESS

The annual social, conducted by the Sacred Heart Holy Rosary sodality in the school hall, Moore street, last evening proved one of the most successful and enjoyable on record.

A large crowd was on hand and the various numbers on the well arranged program were warmly received by the audience. Many visitors from other parishes as well as several from out of town attended. The clergymen of the parish were also present to assist in the success of the undertaking.

The affair opened with a character march and this feature provided much amusement for participants and spectators alike. Then followed a program of musical, literary and dancing features. Miss Mabel Sullivan presided and announced the various numbers. The program was as follows:

March,
Sacred Heart Orchestra.
Hymn, "Mother Dear Oh Pray For Me,"
Dance duet,
Ursula Sharkey, Esther Donlon
Song: "My Irish American Rose,"
Lillian Mooney
Sailor's Hornpipe,
Agnes Conlon
Song: "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling,"
Sadie Kenney
Toe Dance,
Dorothy Roulne
Erin's Flag,
Katherine Kenney
Skirt Dance,
Margaret Mooney
Cornet solo,
Mrs. Eugene L. Sullivan
Dance: "Off She Goes,"
Margaret Higgins
Reading,
Mrs. Daniel F. Sullivan
Reading: "Collier's Dying Child,"
Isabel Kennedy
Accompanists:
Mrs. William Mooney, Marion McFadden,

General dancing followed with music by Mary Foley and Margaret Doherty and the Sacred Heart orchestra.

The committee in charge was as follows: President, Mrs. Maria Doherty; vice president, Mrs. Eugene P. Sullivan; secretary, Mrs. Mary Roulne, treasurer, Mrs. Bryan McFadden, and spiritual director, Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists. Price sixty cents. Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free booklet "Building Up the Blood."—Adv.

$950 FOR ESSAYS ON FORESTRY PROBLEMS

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N. S., April 22.—Devastation wrought in Canada by the spruce bud worm and forest fires has caused Frank J. Barnjum, a prominent lumber operator, to offer a series of prizes totalling $950 for essays on forestry problems and for practical experiments in reforestation.

So urgent is the situation in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia that additional offers of prizes will be made in these provinces by Mr. Barnjum.

In announcing his plan, Barnjum declared that the province of Quebec alone suffered a loss of 150,000,000 cords of standing pulpwood in 10 years through tree pests. The value of this wasted timber, he said, was $3,000,000,000 and in manufactured news print it would provide a 45 years supply for the entire North American continent.

PLASTERERS GETTING NINE DOLLARS A DAY

Contractor Daniel H. Walker is paying the plasterers employed on the high school nine dollars a day. The regular wage was eight dollars per day, but in order to hold his men on the job he had to increase the rate one dollar per day. One other Lowell contractor is paying the same rate.

PALESTINE COTTON MARKET

WASHINGTON, April 22.—American interest in the Palestine cotton market is growing but still is far below foreign competitors, according to a report to the commerce department today from Consul Southard at Jerusalem.

Cotton piece goods, he declared, form the chief item of the Palestine import trade for the past two years imports of cotton piecegoods averaging 15,280,000 yards with a value of $6,740,000. British cotton dominates the market, he said, Japanese cotton has had a good market for the past two years, Italian goods are next in importance, while smaller quantities come from France and the United States.

PRINCE LEAVES TOKIO

TOKIO, April 22. (By Associated Press.)—The Prince of Wales said farewell today leaving for Yokohama on the special train provided for his use while in Japan.

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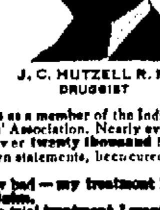
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Superfluous Russian Ambassador Representing Defunct Government at Washington---Using Money Voted by Congress for Russia---Great Monument to Be Dedicated at Washington Next Month---Technical Terms of Tariff Bill Puzzle Reading Clerks of Congress

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—Uncle Sam is conducting a correspondence school of his own and doing it without expense to those who profit by its instruction. It is a Marine Corps institution and was organized about two years ago and has 225 men engaged in the work of instruction. They are trained and drilled to meet any emergency. Exclusive of the salaries of the instructors the cost to the government is only $4 per student and the Marine Corps believe it is doing inestimable service in training members of the corps. "It makes our men available for emergency work in nearly every line," said Commander Lejeune. It gives any man or boy in the Marine Corps an opportunity to study, he is not compelled to take the course but may do so if he desires, and without cost to himself. "I am certain it makes better soldiers," said Gen. Lejeune, "a man whose mind is trained is a better asset to the nation than an illiterate man or one whose education is extremely limited. The theory that a man is a better soldier if he does nothing else than to obey orders is a bygone theory. We believe the better trained mind a man has the more alert he will be and as a result he will be a better soldier."

That Russian Ambassador

When is a foreign ambassador not an ambassador, is a question that is a lively rival of How Old is Ann? The Russian Ambassador Boris Bakhmeteff, came here accredited to the Kerensky regime and was received as such by President Wilson and his secretary of state. Now there is no Kerensky government in Russia and no Wilson government here, but all the same Bakhmeteff is a left over and still holds place on the official diplomatic list of the United States. Moreover he has enjoyed the control of the $187,000,000 voted for Russia near the opening of the war, which was designated for the use of the Kerensky regime. Mr. Bakhmeteff has been content to remain in comparative obscurity during the last year, and although his name is on the official lists, not much attention was paid to it, till he was this week summoned to appear before a senate committee on foreign relation in connection with the Semenoff case. Then Mr. Bakhmeteff wrapped himself in diplomatic immunity and declined to respond, as ambassadors from foreign coutries have immunity from such summons. It is an embarrassing situation for the United States. It found Bakhmeteff a legacy from the Wilson administration and it would not lend to smooth over many rough spots in European diplomatic circles if the United States dismissed the Russian ambassador which is the only means of deposing him, which the United States can use. It was an old custom to retain diplomatic relations with the ambassadors of deposed monarchs on the grounds that the change of monarchs was probably temporary and the reigning family would again be in power. In the present case the game of contesting the standing of Bakhmeteff didn't seem worth the candle, so he was not disturbed. But now the question is raised by senators as to whether it is wise to permit him to continue to represent a government that does not exist and whether or not Mr. Bakhmeteff is longer entitled to use of funds with which to maintain the Russian embassy here. Until the incident of the Semenoff matter drew Bakhmeteff into the limelight, it has been a case of let sleeping dogs sleep, but now Senator Borah has called pointed attention to the matter the senate is likely to act, but with what result no one can foretell. But a successor to Bakhmeteff would be a representative of the soviet government so the chances are Mr. Hughes will continue to uphold his standing here.

Appeal From Adjutant Generals

The adjutant generals from 16 states came here this week to urge the senate appropriation committee to keep the appropriation for militia up to the sum fixed by the budget and not permit the house decrease to stand in the final framing of the bill.

Gen. Edward L. Logan of Boston was also here representing the American Legion which endorses the larger sum. Adjutant Generals Howard of New Hampshire and Johnson of Vermont represented the New England states at the hearings, and urged that the appropriation for militia purposes be raised from $21,000,000 where it stands by act of the house to $25,000,000 which they believe is the smallest sum adequate to carry on the work. The budget fixed $30,000,000 but the house committee slashed down without mercy. The men representing the militia and American Legion expressed the belief that the amount now named by congress will not be sufficient to maintain the quota of National Guard allotted each state by the militia bureau.

Grant Memorial

Elaborate ceremonies will mark the formal dedication of the great Grant monument to take place here next month. Already stands are being erected in the Botanic Garden, at the head of which the splendid memorial stands. It is just across the avenue at the foot of the capital grounds and will mark the entrance to the enlarged botanic gardens for which congress is now providing and which will be worthy the great nations whose botanic resources it will represent. The Grant monument will be unveiled by two granddaughters of Gen. Grant. The memorial will be presented to the United States by Secretary of War Weeks and accepted by Vice President Coolidge, so as has often been the case in the present administration, it will be New England and especially Massachusetts that will hold the foremost place in national affairs. President Harding has a long standing Ohio engagement for that day, so Mr. Coolidge will act in his stead, and deliver the principal address.

It often happens that some congressional orator, right in the midst of a night of eloquence, gets stranded for a word or for a smile, and comes back to earth with a sudden thump. Take for instance the day Senator Ashurst was pleading eloquently for an additional federal judge for the state of Arizona. Mr. Ashurst described in technical terms the need of an additional justice; he, pictured the harrowing cases that come before such an official pointing his long arms skyward. Then he fell to earth. "Why," said he, "you must see the need yourself. A judge can't grind out decisions as he would grind sausages out of a machine."

Then take the incident during the eloquent and fiery debate on whether or not the navy personnel should be 86,000 or 67,000 when Chindblom of Illinois stopped in the midst of an impassioned speech and demanded a rising vote on his amendment. "I just want to have you count noses and see how we stand," he shouted to the dignified gentleman in the chair. And the presiding officer ordered the noses to be counted, only he used a more technical and dignified term in so doing.

Thanking the Daughters

A suitable tablet in recognition of the courtesy of the Daughters of the American Revolution in permitting the Washington conference on limitation of armament to use its hall, will be presented to that organization if a bill introduced this week by Senator Curtis of Kansas passes congress.

The reading clerks of congress are having a struggle over the technical terms of a tariff bill. Whenever a change of administration occurs, or a change is made in the existing tariff, words of great length invariably appear in the bill, especially as relating to chemical terms. One containing 32 letters, or seven more than the entire alphabet nearly choked the reading clerk this week, as he was rapidly reading the bill and came upon it unexpectedly. How would you feel if called on to read a tariff bill in a rapid and distinct tone, for the enlightenment of an audience of 435 members of congress and found the word "tetramethyldiaminodiphenylmethane" staring you in the face? But that's what happened this week, and even the well seasoned reading clerk stuttered before he got through.

RICHARDS.

CHELMSFORD POSTOFFICE

Raymond C. Hazeltine, whose appointment as postmaster for Chelmsford Centre was recently confirmed by the United States senate, has chosen Parkhurst's store as the new postoffice, the oil of the building fronting on the Lowell road to be utilized for the transaction of Uncle Sam's business.

BROADWAY CLUB SCORES

Annual Musical Revue and Dance at Associate Hall Big Success

Associate hall last night was the scene of one of the best minstrel revues of the season, the show combining an abundance of talent with the latest and liveliest songs. The occasion was the seventh annual musical revue and dance of the Broadway club, and this live-wire organization lived up to its reputation in capital style.

Starting shortly after 8 o'clock with a curtain raiser, "Pick Me Up and Lay Me Down in Dear Old Dixieland," the entire company joined in an excellent and harmonious opening overture, including "Angel Child," "Carolina Rolling Stone," "By the Old Ohio Shore," "My Mammy Knows," and "Little Grey Sweetheart of Mine."

The next number was the splendid solo, "Eileen Alanna," rendered capably by Mr. Michael Brennan. "On the Ginny Shore," an end-song, was given by Mr. Charles J. Keyes, one of the city's best black face men.

Little May Conway proved the hit of the evening in her specialty, beginning with the songs "Granny" and "I Love to Be a Sailor," and finishing with a sailor's hornpipe. The diminutive miss was roundly encored.

"When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down," was sung by Mr. David Boyle, the well known expert, followed by Mr. Daniel Brennan in a funny end-song, "Nobody Knows Where Tosti Goes," which was one of the evening's best. McGrail and Walker followed with a well executed dancing number.

Mr. Edward Donahue, Lowell's favorite tenor, was introduced as the local John McCormack, and in "Time after Time" he proved himself worthy of such a flattering introduction. Mr. James Diegnan was at his best in the end-song, "I Hold Her Hand and She Holds Mine," and won merited applause. Eccentric dancing by "Frisco's Only Rival," Mr. Jerome Tighe of Brockton, who gave an impersonation of the famous jazz king, Mr. Frisco, in some of his celebrated steps, was received with enthusiasm. A vocal duet, "When Shall We Meet Again," by Messrs. Fred Cummings and Raymond Kelly, followed, and after the applause which followed their efforts subsided, Mr. Frank McCartin, the daddy of them all as an end-man, sang and danced and brought the crowd to their feet with "The Old Town Hall." The Grand Finale, "You Can Have Every Light on Broadway," was sung by the entire company, with the solo sustained most excellently by Mr. John Spillane, the well known tenor.

Interlocutor John F. Miskell officiated capably and Musical Director Charles Miner's training was evident in every chorus number. Mr. John Quinn was stage manager, and with the co-operation of hard-working assistants, had one of the prettiest stage effects yet arrived at in local amateur minstrelsy, with lattice work and columns on the sides of the stage and in the rear a background of royal blue against which the well arranged chorus was splendidly set off, potted plants in profusion and a beautiful pink electrical arrangement overhead.

The officers in charge were: General manager, William A. Walsh; assistant manger, John V. Crowe; floor director, Daniel A. Riley; assistant floor director, Frederick A. Connors; chief aids, Dominic Molloy, Charles Clancy and Patrick J. Owens; assistants, Daniel Coakley, Daniel McNabb, John Ashe; chairman of dance committee, Timothy F. O'Sullivan, secretary of dance committee, Michael F. McCarthy; reception committee, Patrick Owens, James Heslin, Charles Clancy, John Miskell, Cornelius Riley, Bernard Callery, Patrick Gannon.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY AND SUPPER

The recent birthday party and supper conducted under the auspices of the Ladies' society of the Paige Street Baptist church was a success in every way. The attendance was large and the evening's program was very enjoyable. Twelve tables, appropriately decorated and representing each month of the year, had been arranged and every seat was taken. The tables and those in charge were as follows: The January table was in charge of Mrs. Norman Phillips, assisted by Mrs. Oscar Phinney; February, Mrs. Fred Balcom, assisted by Mrs. M. Daggett; March, Miss Charlotte McKean and Miss Nelda Cross; April, Mrs. Mattie McKean; May, Mrs. Walter Harris and Miss Helen Harris; June, Mrs. Fred Munn and Mrs. N. Houstan; July, Miss Marion Chase and Miss Myrtle Adams; August, Misses Maud and Edith Phillips; September, Mrs. Ruby Colburn and Miss Nettie Crafts; October, Mrs. Harold Hickey and Miss Esther Garrick; November, Mrs. Harry Pascal and Miss Stella Marshall; December, Mrs. Hebb and Mrs. Robert Ellis. After the supper the children gave a Mother Goose entertainment which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Walter Chase and Mrs. Carrie Upham had charge of [illegible] The entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. Walter [illegible] assisted by Mrs. Norman Phillips.

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Joseph A. St. Hilaire, 20, 15 Second avenue, Saco-Lowell shops and Mary Mabel Lowrey, 21, 43 Jewett street, at home.

G. Russell Dana, Jr., 31, 304 Andover street, manager, and Leslie Pullen, 27, 268 Liberty street, at home.

Raymond E. Fifield, 22, 21 Cambridge street, clerk, and Alice R. McHugh, 21, 77 Fremont street, proofreader.

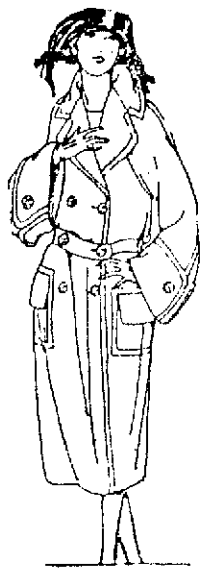
John F. Roane, Jr., 28, 46 Burtt street, ice cream dealer, and Rose M. McEnaney, 28, North Chelmsford, at home.

Leo Francis Guerin, 24, 8 Arthur street, barber, and Catherine G. Dempsey, 25, 34 Bachman street, at home.

After Easter Economy Sale

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

COATS



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$8.75	$12.75
$9.75	$13.75
$10.75	$14.75

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For the woman who may not have chosen her new Spring dress up to this time or who may now want to supplement her Easter costume, comes this Economy Sale—offering dresses of distinctly high character, made in all the newest fabrics of the latest shades—at prices to suit every purse. All sizes.

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The famous "Buster Brown" Stockings, three seam, double toe, high spliced heel, in nude, silver, polo, black and white, 75c, $1.25

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Amateur Ball

At a recent meeting of the Mohawks baseball team Daniel Redding and Bill Riley were chosen to lead the nine. Redding will catch and captain the outfit while Riley will pitch and act as manager. Games with any fast nine will be accepted.

The Young Nationals would like to play the Young Sluggers on the Dixwells or the dump grounds for two 35 cent balls. Phone 3669-J.

The Young Red Sox will play the Rock Street Stars this afternoon on the Bartlett school grounds for a 50 cent ball.

The Bunters accept the challenge of the Burnsides and will play that team April 30 on the Lakeview avenue grounds.

The Young Summers A.C. would like to play any team from 10-12 years old for a 35 cent ball, April 29 at the South common. Answer through this paper.

The Merrimacks will play the Bunters tomorrow afternoon on the Lakeview avenue grounds at 1.30.

The Glenmore Thirds would like to meet any 8 to 11 years old team in the city. Meet Manager Lougher between 7 and 8 o'clock.

The Centralville All Stars would like to meet the last year's St. Peter's team to accommodate the star pitcher if he means business. Call 2384-M.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

Babe Christo of this city has been matched to box Woonsocket Joe Gibbs at Woburn in two weeks and he has started training for the bout. Babe has not been very active during the past few weeks but he claims that it has been through no fault of his, as he has been in search of matches, but few men of his weight desire his game. Babe hopes to some day take on Johnny Avila for the welterweight championship of Lowell, and with this object in view he will train hard to be in perfect condition when he tackles the Woonsocket battler.

Meanwhile, Johnny Avila is engaging in light training for future matches. He is quite interested in the challenge hurled at him by Porky Diggins of Nashua and says that just as soon as he finds his injured hand has fully recovered he will accept Porky's defy.

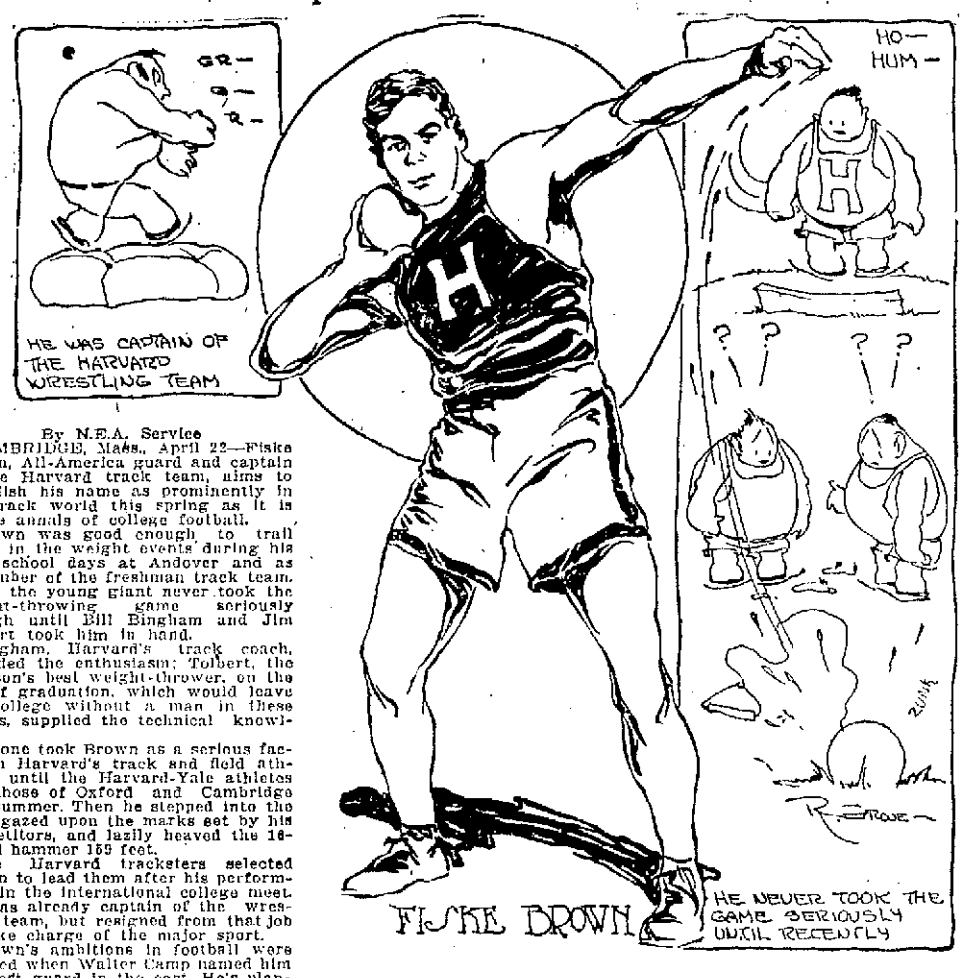
Tommy Gibbons, who has enjoyed a rest since being defeated by Harry Greb, will get back into the ring at New Orleans on May 1, when he will tackle Harry Foley.

Deak Dodge, who has secured Puggy Morton for another bout here early next month, is having considerable difficulty getting a man to meet him. He interviewed the New England lightweight champion, Johnny Clinton, yesterday, but declares the titleholder flatly refused to meet the sensational Californian. When first asked to sign articles, Clinton said the time was too short to get into condition but when informed that the bout would be put off a couple of weeks to enable him to get into shape, Clinton came back with a final refusal. All of which goes to prove that Puggy's recent success has come to the attention of the alleged big leaguers.

It is expected that articles of agreement for a wrestling bout here early next month between Bob Johnson and Cyclone Burns will be signed within a few days. Each man will be called upon to put up $100 to guarantee his appearance for the match.

Police Officer Michael Wrenn, who is now successfully directing traffic at the busy Towers' corner, is a great believer and follower of sports. While he enjoys witnessing basketball and other games, he much prefers engaging in a friendly wrestling match or trying to improve his average at bowling. At both the popular officer can show the way to many. He is now competing in the big handicap bowling tournament and while he has yet to break into the prize money, he confidently expects to before the competition ends.

Brown Hopes To Win Fame on Track



By N.E.A. Service

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 22—Fiske Brown, All-America guard and captain of the Harvard track team, aims to establish his name as prominently in the track world this spring as it is in the annals of college football.

Brown was good enough to trail along in the weight events during his prep school days at Andover and as a member of the freshman track team. But the young giant never took the weight-throwing game seriously enough until Bill Bingham and Jim Tolbert took him in hand.

Bingham, Harvard's track coach, provided the enthusiasm; Tolbert, the Crimson's best weight-thrower, on the eve of graduation, which would leave his college without a man in these events, supplied the technical knowledge.

No one took Brown as a serious factor in Harvard's track and field athletics until the Harvard-Yale athletes met those of Oxford and Cambridge last summer. Then he stepped into the ring, gazed upon the marks set by his competitors, and lazily heaved the 16-pound hammer 159 feet.

The Harvard tracksters selected Brown to lead them after his performance in the international college meet. He was already captain of the wrestling team, but resigned from that job to take charge of the major sport.

Brown's ambitions in football were realized when Walter Camp named him the best guard in the east. He's planning now to have the same fame at the close of the track season.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	6	2	75.0
New York	6	2	75.0
Philadelphia	4	3	57.1
Chicago	4	3	57.1
St. Louis	4	4	50.0
Boston	3	4	42.9
Washington	2	6	25.0
Detroit	1	6	14.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Philadelphia-Boston—Cold.
Chicago 10, St. Louis 5.
Detroit 15, Cleveland 7.
New York 1, Washington 0.

GAMES TOMORROW

Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Chicago at St. Louis.

GAMES MONDAY

Boston at Washington.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	6	1	85.7
Chicago	6	2	75.0
St. Louis	4	3	57.1
Pittsburgh	4	3	57.1
Philadelphia	3	3	50.0
Boston	2	4	33.3
Brooklyn	2	5	28.8
Cincinnati	1	7	12.5

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Boston 6, Philadelphia 4.
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 3.
New York 4, Brooklyn 1.
Pittsburgh-St. Louis—Snow.

GAMES TOMORROW

New York at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

GAMES MONDAY

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

NEW YORK TEAMS ON TOP OF HEAP

Giants Win Six Straight Yesterday, With Brooklyn the Victim

Yankees, With Shawkey Pitching in Fine Form; Win Over Washington

NEW YORK, April 22—New York's champion ball teams today were on the top of the heap in their respective circuits. Keeping up the sizzling early season pace, they have been setting, the Giants yesterday won their sixth straight game, trampling on Brooklyn again, although outslugged by their Flatbush rivals. The Yankees, with Bob Shawkey's right arm working to perfection, squeezed a 1 to 0 victory from Washington, an error letting in the lone tally.

Cleveland found itself in a tie for the lead with the Yankees when Cobb's Detroit Tigers shook their losing jinx and slugged out a 15 to 7 victory. Both teams fattened their batting averages. Tris Speaker registered four bingles.

The White Sox came from behind to tie St. Louis in the ninth and smashed out six more runs in the 10th to clinch the contest.

The Cubs still are within a half game of the Giants, landing on Eppa Rixey yesterday for seven runs in the eighth and burying Cincinnati.

The Boston Braves celebrated the opening of their home season by trimming the Phillies, Boeckel and Kopf playing stellar roles in the victory.

Two new leaders in the select swatting circle appear today, Harry Heilmann of the Tigers showing to the fore in the American, while Tierney of Pittsburgh is on top in the National race.

NATIONAL AMERICAN ATHLETIC FEDERATION

NEW YORK, April 22.—Final plans were to be formulated today for the launching of the National American Athletic Federation at the concluding session of a two days' gathering of representatives of the International Y.M.C.A., National Collegiate Athletic association, Boy Scouts, Army and Navy athletic boards, and other important groups.

The meeting was to consider this morning the tentative draft of a constitution and by-laws for the proposed federation recommended yesterday as a means of co-ordinating practically all important athletic activity in the country.

Purposes of the federation, as outlined by officials, include centralizing under standardized rules of all amateur games and competition, promoting physical education, and encouraging participation of the United States in the Olympic games.

Sponsors of the N.A.A.F. assert it does not aim at control of amateur athletics but rather the encouragement of them on a larger scale than ever before.

BOWLING TOURNAMENTS

Members of the American Legion auxiliary will gather in the Crescent alleys next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock for the first of a series of bowling tournaments.

$1000 IN PRIZES

Handicap Bowling Tournament

Every Day at Crescent Alleys.

Roller Skating—Crescent Rink

Tonight—Admission Free

PADDOCK WANTS EIGHT RECORDS RECOGNIZED

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—Charles W. Paddock, world champion sprinter, declared today that he intended to ask the National Amateur Athletic union to recognize as records the times he made in bettering eight world's sprint records in the Hawaiian islands recently.

According to affidavits in Paddock's possession, the eight new world marks he made, are:

100 yards grass	9 3-5 secs.
60 yards grass	5 1-5 secs.
60 yards grass	6 2-5 secs
50 yards	5 secs
80 yards	7 4-5 secs
120 yards	11 2-5 secs
125 yards	12 secs
175 yards	16 4-5 secs

Paddock's affidavits are signed by Hawaiian A.A.U. officials.

O'HARA UPSETS GOLF DOPE

Pat O'Hara, the the professional of the Richmond Country club of Staten Island, N. Y., sprang something of a golfing sensation at the recent north and south open championship at Pinehurst, N. C., by winning the title from a very classy field.

O'Hara turned in a score of 289 for 54 holes. The tourney was originally a 72-hole event.

O'Hara had turned in a 69 for his second 18 holes. Shortly after completing his rounds a terrific rain storm set in, preventing a number of other players from finishing their round. It was decided to throw all scores made in the second 18 holes into the discard.

PAT O'HARA

Had the scores made in the second round stood O'Hara would have broken all records at Pinehurst with a 289 for the 72 holes.

In winning the north and south title O'Hara turned back a great field, including such cracks as Jim Barnes, Jock Hutchison, Walter Hagen, Mike Brady and Joe Kirkwood.

TRIANGULAR MEET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 22—Athletes of the naval academy, Harvard and University of Virginia came together in a triangular field and track meet on Farragut Field today. All three contestants had a strong entente of representatives, though the Middies were a slight favorite due to their decisive triumph over Pittsburgh last Saturday. The track was heavy due to the rains of yesterday.

IF THIS PLAY COMES UP

Here's Your Decision

If with runners on first, first and second or second, the batter interferes with the catcher in fielding or throwing a ball, the batsman shall be declared out for so doing. No bases shall be run on such a play as the ball becomes dead when the batsman so interferes faith the catcher.

Y. M. C. I. TAKE SECOND GAME FROM LEGION

The Y.M.C.I. made it two straight victories over the Chelmsford legion quintet by showing the way to their "country cousins" in an exciting game of basketball at the Crescent rink, last night. The score was 19 to 14.

Several fist fights occurred during the progress of play, but cooler heads prevented any serious damage. In the excitement of play, players forgot the rules and assayed the roles of pugilists. Six men figured in these mix-ups.

Y.M.C.I. got the jump at the outset and while in the latter stages the legion men came stronger, the locals never relinquished the lead. The first period ended 7 to 0 in favor of Y.M.C.I. The second session presented a 12 to 10 count, while the sound of the final whistle found the score 19 to 14.

O'Conner and Lepper were the scoring stars for the winners, while Carll excelled for the visitors. The lineup and score:

Y.M.C.I.		LEGION
Lew, lf	rb,	Pope
O'Connor, rf	lb,	Hindo-Desmond
Lane, c	c,	Barton
McGowan, lb	rf,	Russell-Smith
Lepper, rb	lf,	Carll

Summary—Score: Y.M.C.I. 19, Legion 14. Goals: By O'Connor 3, by Lepper 4, by Lew 1, by Russell 1, by Carll 3, by Pope 1. Referee: Wilson.

IN LAKE MICHIGAN

Virginia Peck, 15, of Chicago was the first fair bather to try Lake Michigan this year. She said the water was nice.

TENNIS STARS COMPETE

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Six of America's ranking tennis stars, including William T. Tilden, 2nd, Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory and Zenzo Shimidzu, member of the Japanese Davis cup team, were scheduled for exhibition matches today at the opening of the new courts of the Germantown Academy. The others who were to take part in the competition were Vincent Richards, Wallace F. Johnson, Watson M. Washburn and R. Norris Williams.

Tilden and Mrs. Mallory, national champions, were to oppose each other in the opening match.

WINS WOMEN'S TENNIS TOURNEY

Mrs. Marion Jessop, better known to the tennis world as Marion Zinderstein, has again captured the championship honors of the women's north and south tournament, recently completed at Pinehurst, N. C. Mrs. Jessop won the same title four years ago. In the finals, she defeated Martha Bayard, 6-1, 6-1.

MARION ZINDERSTEIN JESSOP

WANT TO PLAY SACRED HEARTS

The following self explanatory letter was received today:

To the Editor of The Sun.

Dear Sir: By putting the following in your sporting column you will be obliging the "Aces" All Star basketball five:

Having heard that the Sacred Hearts Five could not continue their series with St. Anne's quintet on account of illness and could not find suitable opponents to open the series, I would like to meet Manager Kernan at the earliest possible time and make satisfactory arrangements to reopen the series. I would pick my team from the following who have played with some of the best teams this season: J. Barrett, T. Linehan, F. Smith, G. Ashe, A. Nowak, C. Heslin, B. O'Sullivan, J. Callahan. Thanking you for your space I remain,

Yours sincerely,

JOSEPH CLIFFORD CALLAHAN,
Manager Aces All Stars.

CLOSE OF THE FISTIC SEASON

The last bouts of the season were held in the club rooms of the Massachusetts Mills A.A. last night. All bouts were hotly contested.

The exhibitions were as follows, Young Savard vs. Kid Veigh, Happy Conley vs. Mike O'Brien, Young Parker vs. Pete River, Billy Conlon vs. Leo Daley, Joe Wells vs. Tip Quinn. All bouts but the last went four rounds. The latter went six rounds. No decisions were given. Eben Brennan was referee.

TEXTILE BASKETBALL

The Lowell Textile baseball team played its first game of the season against the Worcester Technical team in that city. The local boys faced tough opposition as the engineers are in good form this year and already have a victory over B.U. Next Wednesday afternoon the Fitchburg Normal school comes here for a game.

WHEN YOU SCORE A BALL GAME

REMEMBER—

A time at bat is not charged against the batsman if he is awarded a base on balls, or for being hit by a pitched ball, or when the catcher interferes with him and he is granted first base because of the catcher's act, or when he makes a sacrifice hit.

WILLS ONLY SEEKER FOR HEAVY TITLE

BY BOB DORMAN

NEW YORK, April 22.—Jack Dempsey's European trip promises to be little more than the usual tourist sightseeing trip.

When it is considered that this country has been unable to produce a heavyweight conceded a chance of giving the hard-hitting champion any sort of a battle it is hardly likely that Europe can do so.

England has Joe Beckett, Tom Cowler, Bombardier Wells, Albert Lloyd, Frank Goddard and George Cook, all veterans who have seen their best days with the exception of Cook, who does not rank very high, as the last slipping Beckett stopped him the other night.

France has Carpentier, already defeated by Dempsey, Journee and Nelles. The last two are jokes.

In America, among the white heavyies, there is an equal dearth of material.

Most of the well known men of recent ring history have dropped out of sight, or, if they are heard of, it is merely a line or two that they have kissed the canvas once more.

Fred Fulton, once a promising white hope, whose speed and size kept many others out of the same ring, is anybody's meat since Bartley Madden demonstrated that the ponderous plasterer had nothing anyone need be afraid of.

Bill Brennan and Billy Miske are still showing something of their old time form, but as Dempsey has taken both of them it can hardly be said that either is entitled to consideration for a match with the champion.

Outside of Harry Wills, the negro heavyweight, there is not much of promise in the heavyweight division.

BABY SAMSON

Jackie Ott, 3, of Miami, Fla., has a chest expansion of 2½ inches, measuring 31½ normal and 34 expanded.

OFFERS DEFENSE FOR COLLEGE ATHLETICS

BY J. W. HEISMAN,
Football Coach, University of Pennsylvania.

There is nothing greatly wrong with college athletics.

Football and baseball scandals of some sort or other always crop out at stated intervals.

In some quarters there has been considerable sympathy for the athletes who have been suspended for professionalism. It is all wasted.

The colleges have athletic rules, just as our country has laws to govern the acts of her citizens.

These laws do not prevent people from committing crimes. When a citizen violates the laws he is usually properly penalized if his acts are discovered.

The fact that the laws do not prevent people from committing crimes does not prove that law is not a good thing, nor that in the main it is not a sufficiently drastic deterrent.

The western and eastern athletes who violated the college rules deserved the punishment that has been meted out to them. It will serve as a warning that should work for good.

Recruiting of high school players on the part of the colleges is a worse offense than a player accepting money for his service for play outside of college. It is simply professionalism on the part of the college authorities.

The alumni, rather than the college itself, is to blame. Every college seems to be doing it through the alumni, so it is not regarded as a great wrong.

I am in favor of permitting a ball player to engage in that sport for pay during the summer provided he does not play in a professional league.

I don't think a college has a right to dictate as to what a student should do during the time that he is not directly under the jurisdiction of the college.

I think that all colleges should pass a rule prohibiting a transferred student from taking part in intercollegiate athletics.

By this I mean that if a student ever took part in any intercollegiate contest in any sport, and is later transferred to some other college, he should not be permitted to take part in any intercollegiate sport at his second college.

This would effectually kill off the tramp college athlete.

The big evil in college athletics today is the assisting that the alumni give star prep athletes. I have no solution to offer on this.

HARVARD HAS NOT AGREED TO SEND TEAM

BOSTON, April 22.—Fred W. Moore, graduate manager of athletics at Harvard, said today that Harvard had not arranged to send a team in 1923 to meet Oxford and Cambridge universities.

John T. McGovern, who accompanied the university runners abroad recently, was reported from London last night, as having said that Yale and Harvard would meet Oxford and Cambridge in London, in the summer of 1923, while the two English teams would have a return contest with the Americans in 1925.

Major Moore said that Harvard had made no arrangements for future track meets with the English universities, and that John T. McGovern was not empowered to make arrangements for Harvard's participation in any events.

The possibility of a home and home arrangement whereby one meet would be held every two years, was discussed when the English athletes were here last summer, Mr. Moore said, but nothing definite has come of the discussion.

B. C. FRESHMEN WIN WITHOUT RUNNING

NEWTON, April 22. Without moving a step, the freshman relay team of Boston college yesterday won the championship in the mile event at the inter-class track and field meet.

The sophomores, juniors and seniors, recognizing the prowess of the youngsters, gave them the victory without contest, turning their activities as individuals to other events.

Art Kirley, winner of the interclass 440 and 880; Louis Welch, winner of the mile; Walter Nolan, fast quarter miler; Phil Dillon, another quarter man and Herb Finnegan, winner of the handicap 880, were all available for the freshman relay.

Gold medals were awarded for the "victory."

CHALLENGE ROUND HAS DISAPPEARED

BOSTON, April 22. The challenge round in major tennis competitions in this country has disappeared. It became known today that by action of the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis association, the condition of play by which the winner of the Longwood bowl of one season stood out in the competition of the succeeding year, meeting the cup's winner of All-Comers' tournament in the challenge round, is done away with. This classic event in tennis singles this season and hereafter will be decided with the previous winner playing through.

The probable effect of this action on the play which begins July 17 will be to have W. W. Johnston of San Francisco and W. T. Tilden, 2nd., of Philadelphia, in opposite halves of the draw. Johnston retired the Longwood bowl with three victories two years ago and gained a leg on a new trophy last year standing out to meet the tournament inner. Tilden, world champion, has never competed in this event and the meeting of the country's two best tennis players under the new conditions is expected to develop unusual competition.

KING WINS DAILY PRIZE IN TOURNAMENT

King, with a three-string total of 372, won the daily prize yesterday, in the big handicap tournament now in progress at the Crescent alleys. Dr. Horne, Dr. Bernstein and King, with a mark of 1040, jumped into the lead in the three-men class. Flanders, with a total of 381, tops all for three picked strings. The scores to date follow:

Individual—First, McCormack, 386; second, Dr. Horne, 378; third, Flanders, 368; fourth, Beauregard, 346; fifth, Hayden, 342.

Weekly, two men—First, McCormack-Flynn, 704; second, Lebrun-Johnson, 665; third, Dr. Horne-Letendre, 654; fourth, Rynne-Neland, 653.

Weekly, three men—First, King-Dr. Bernstein-Dr. Horne, 1040; second, Panton-Thurber-Flanders, 1016; third, Whitelock-Dr. Bernstein-Panton, 981.

Winners of three string total, daily—Monday, McCormack, 386; Tuesday, Flanders, 365; Wednesday, McCormack-Flanders, 368; Thursday, Dr. Horne, 378; Friday, King, 372.

High three picked strings to date, weekly—Flanders, 131, 129, 121, total, 381.

17 PICKETS ARRESTED

Jail Jammed—As Fast as Pickets Were Arrested They Handed Banners to Others

WEBSTER, April 22.—Fifteen men and two women pickets were arrested yesterday afternoon on charges of loitering when Webster police and sheriffs swooped down upon the picket line at the South village mills office of the S. Slater and Sons, Inc., where weavers have been on strike for six months in protest against the two-loom system.

As fast as the pickets were arrested they handed their banners to others, who kept up the patrol until they, too, were taken. The police stopped when six cells at the small police lockup were jammed.

Prisoners refused to be bailed, saying while they filled the cells no others could be arrested. The state board of conciliation and arbitration called the normalcy law into effect Wednesday, closing the strike officially. Pickets were then warned by police to stop their parade. They retaliated by increasing their number from two to 20.

A police guard was thrown around the lockup last night and extra police were patrolling the mill section, although the strike leaders warned sympathizers against any demonstration.

ROLLER SKATING RACES AT KASINO

Great interest is being manifested in the roller skating races to be held at the Kasino next week, beginning Wednesday and the warmest kind of contests are looked for. The race between Al Nebes and Hamilton of Portland, Me., will be the big attraction. Hamilton defeated Nebes in Rockland, Me., a few days ago and Nebes wants another whack at him at his (Nebes') own grounds, the Kasino. After the race in Rockland, Hamilton promised Al that he would come to Lowell for another race and negotiations are now underway. Nebes says there is no doubt about Hamilton's coming and he feels that he will get square with him for the defeat administered in the Pine Tree state. The program of races will appear later.

$300,000 SUIT AGAINST PILOT

BOSTON, April 22.—Testimony in the suit for $300,000 damages against Russell Rotch, a New Bedford pilot, as a result of the grounding of the Portuguese steamer Sao Vicente last year, was concluded in the admiralty court today. Rotch testified that the steamer went ashore because his orders were not properly executed. He added that he heard no word of English spoken on the boat.

The lookout would have assisted him had there been one, the pilot declared.

UNDER TREATMENT FOR DOG BITES

The four Lowell people now under treatment for dog bites in connection with which examination showed that the animals in question were infected with rabies, will continue to receive vaccine injections for 21 days.

Accompanying the serum secured from New York is a chart of treatment, outlining not only the length of time the patient must be kept under treatment, but also specifying the amount of vaccine to be used daily. This is proportioned in cubic centimeters and varies with the progress of the case. It is being given out by the board of health agent at city hall.

STOLE IRON PICKETS

Despite the vigilance of a night watchman, who is employed by the city to keep tabs on that portion of Aiken street between Ford and Moody streets, where smooth paving is done, 21 large iron pickets were stolen from the street some time during last night. These pickets were used in the grading of the street and were driven in a cement foundation. The theft was reported to the police this morning.

HERO

A report of the bravery of D. Webb of the U.S.S. Orion has been sent to the navy department by Admiral Andrews. Webb saved a woman and three children in the fire that made 1000 homeless at Norfolk, Va.

Flower Day a Big Success

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the girls for more flowers were of such a nature that he immediately phoned a rush order into Boston and the consignment arrived here early this afternoon by special delivery. It was stated at headquarters that the day would not be officially brought to a close until the 17,000 buds had all been sold.

In the bevy of girls, who cheerfully volunteered their services, there were no less than seven nationalities represented. The girls were assigned to their respective posts by John Hanley, who is in charge of the strike and whose duties today were confined to the outside. Some of the more active among the workers set out to visit the various office buildings in the vicinity of the square, while others worked in the streets.

The first girl to report at headquarters was Miss Susie Nason and she proved a real hustler for at 7.15 o'clock she was on the job and at 11.30 o'clock she returned to the office of the strikers empty-handed as far as the flowers went, but with a box well filled with money. In the course of the following half-hour no less than thirty of the workers reported with the usual saying "All sold out." The girls were told to go to dinner and return in the early afternoon, but those who were on duty in the vicinity of the mill gates expressed their sorrow at not being able to stick to their posts and sell their flowers to the operatives.

"The way the public is responding to our call," said Mr. Hanley this noon, "makes us feel that we are fighting a noble cause, as we take their generous offerings as a silent approval of the strike."

The following girls were engaged in the sale of flowers: Susie Nason, May Burns, Mildred Meehan, Esther Meehan, Helen DeGeorge, Alberta Richardson, Gladys Richardson, Mary Stimpson, Anna Stimpson, Sarah Armstrong, Florida Baron, Mary Quinn, Josephine McCahey, Anna Didomenico, Ida Didomenico, Mary Lapore, Theresa Lapore, May Hammar, Theresa Durkin, Margaret Mello, Ellen Cryan, Hilda Logan, Mary Murphy, Margaret Rynne, Alice Rynne, Marion Irwin, Julia Nickerson, Mazie Perry, Esther Mitchell, Mary Lynch, Mary Davis, Emma Hardy, Gladys Hardy, Mary Lowe, Margaret Stansfield, Alice Baldwin, Elizabeth Kelly, Alice Kelly, Agnes Mullarkey, Sarah Grand, Grace Boczar, Mary Janocha, Angeline Mellen, Ollie Brown, Anna Tobin, Rose Bernardini, Honora Smidth, Jane Rourque, Mary Curreden, Margaret Duffy, Annie Lennon, Mary Kennedy, Abbie Bassett, Eva Hatte, Mary E. Courtney, Marie Laboute, Georgianna Lalande and Edna Clifford.

The six local young women who went to Clinton Thursday, spent yesterday in that town collecting funds for the local strikers and they returned to this city in time this morning to lead a band in the local activities. They reported that the donations were very substantial despite the fact that this was the third or fourth time that the operatives of that town had been appealed to.

Parents Join in Search

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been discontented, and the theory is advanced that she may have left the seminary to go to work to earn money with which to go to the middle west, where she has brothers and sisters.

May Have Gone West

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 22. Emma Safford, who is missing from Northfield seminary, made her home with friends in this city. She came here from the Middle West with recommendations from friends and for a time assisted in doing housework. She was sent to Northfield to take a special course. During a visit here in March, she expressed discontent with her studies and intimated that her relatives in the Middle West desired her to return to them. She also gave the impression that she would return west as soon as she could.

Brother Joins in Search

SPRINGFIELD, April 22. A brother of Miss Beatrice Hollinshead, who is missing from Northfield seminary, visited the police here today to enlist support in the search for his sister. Mr. Hollinshead, who is a Y.M.C.A. worker in New York, expressed the belief that his sister and Miss Safford had started on a hiking trip to Miss Safford's former home in Ohio. He said they had expressed a desire to do this and might have chosen the Easter vacation as an opportune time. He scouted the idea that the girls had gone away in an automobile. Mr. Hollinshead did not tell the police the name of his family's home town.

BAD BREATH
Comes from Biliousness

Be does a bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, dull headache, and unhealthy yellowish skin, these symptoms all tell the story of a disordered system and your immediate need of a purely vegetable corrective to prevent infection and a sick spell.

TAKE SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS To-Night

At all Druggists 25¢ a box
Sugar Coated or Uncoated
Over 80 Years the Standard

FACE INFLAMED WITH ECZEMA

"Fruit-a-tives" the Marvelous Fruit Medicine Cured After Specialists Failed

Another "Fruit-a-tives" Triumph

Elba, New York.

I suffered with Eczema in my face for five years. I tried several doctors, two of whom were specialists on Skin Diseases, and got no help whatever.

Last April, I read an advertisement about Dr. E. N. Olzendam of Dover, N. H., being completely relieved of a stubborn case of Eczema similar to mine by the use of "Fruit-a-tives" and "Sootha-Salva."

On May 1, I began using these fruit juice tablets and after two weeks I saw improvement. On June 1, I began using "Sootha Salva" and by the first of August I was completely cured.

I can now work on the hottest days in summer and get my blood heated and the Eczema does not bother me.

RAY W. SPEED.

In all the history of medicine, there has never been another treatment for Eczema, Rashes and other skin diseases to compare with the peculiar extract of fruit juices found in "Fruit-a-tives." This famous fruit medicine, used in connection with "Sootha-Salva" is the ideal combination to purify the blood insure sound digestion, correct constipation, and soothe and heal the inflamed, itching skin.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—Adv.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

All-Star Bill Will Feature Third of Century Jubilee of the B. F. Keith Enterprises—Sunday Program

The inimitable Charles "Chic" Sale will grace the top of the bill at the B. F. Keith theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening, giving his now famous series of rural portraits. Nobody else on the stage quite approaches this man in his artistry. Burke and Durkin will also be on the bill for the day, and Art Hall and Abe Shapiro, and Millard and Marlin will add plenty of variety. Others will be Flo and Ollie Walters, Bessye Clifford and Marie Murray.

On Monday the third of a century mark of the B. F. Keith Theatres will have been reached, and gala bills will be put on in every Keith theatre of the entire combinat. Lowell will get one of these. It will probably rate as high as any bill of the current season for general power to entertain. Jay Dillon and Betty Parker will be the leaders in the entertainment crew of the week. Their special vehicle is "Nic-Nacs of Now," and it is a most amusing combination of song and dance, paraded in a splendid manner.

Marguerita Padula will give a study of boys. She is an artistic entertainer with a most gracious personality. She sings, plays and whistles, and these abilities are shown admirably in her song study of boys. She has hit, not upon a new ideal, but upon a mighty fascinating way of bringing out her idea. Everybody who watches it will grant that.

Something new in the musical comedy line is "The Three of Us" which will be given by Charles Harrison and Sylvia Dakin, assisted by Billy Hogue at the piano. Mr. Harrison is the creator of this piece of entertainment, and a specially good bit of work has he done in his creation. Harrison and Dakin have been with several very popular musical comedies.

Arthur Astill, mimic and ventriloquist, brings in a dairymaid for his specialty good work. He has dressed up ventriloquism in a fantastic costume. A novelty of novelties will be contributed by Frank Ward and Dollies. He has real dolls and he will "bring the house down" with his antics—and theirs.

The dancing Kennedys are just out of a Weber and Fields show, and they are very snappy, while Van Cello and Mary do startling "foot feats."

THE STRAND

Bigger and Better Picture Programs the Order of the Day at the Strand—Great Bill for Next Week

The spring policy of bigger and better programs is again reflected in the bill arranged by The Strand for the coming week. For the first three days of the week, starting with matinee on Monday will include Alice Lake in "The Hole in the Wall," and Will Rogers in his newest comedy drama, "A Poor Relation." Besides these two features there will be the usual comedy and International Weekly, as well as special musical numbers by Shaner de Cesare, the theatre soloist. For the last three days of the week, starting with matinee on Thursday, Tom Mix in "Trailin'" and Marie Prevost in "Don't Get Personal" will be featured.

For the Sunday concert the management has again provided an excellent menu of high-grade vaudeville acts and an entire change of pictures.

"The Hole in the Wall," Fred Jackson's startling melodrama that gave Broadway a lot of unexpected thrills a season or two ago, has been visualized for the screen and in it is Miss Alice in the starring role. It's a story of the underworld, the spirit world and the society world. It concerns itself with the adventures of Jean Oliver, daughter of a Boston banker, who flees to New York in the disgrace of her father's suicide, after an embezzlement indictment. She obtains a position as social secretary to the wealthy Mrs. Ramsey, whose son becomes infatuated with her. The mother, in fury, plants jewelry in the girl's trunk and she is arrested for the theft of the property. In jail she picks up the acquaintance of some swindlers and agrees with them that on her release she will pose as "Madame Mysteria," a fake spiritualist medium, in her exchange for their agreement to kidnap Mrs. Ramsey's grandson. Jean, in revenge, plans to bring up the boy a criminal. It is a story packed with dynamic emotions, and carries through to a smashing climax at the close. Miss Lake is wonderful in her characterization of the girl.

Those who have seen or heard of Edward E. Rider's famous comedy, "A Poor Relation," will be delighted to know that this successful play has been made into a photoplay with Will Rogers featured in the starring role. The part of the poor relation, Noah Vale, a town character who is both philosopher and inventor, fits the acting methods and the temperament of Mr. Rogers wonderfully well. It is said to be one of the best roles of his career. He is to receive the support of a competent cast, including Sylvia Breamer, Molly Malone, Sydney Ainsworth and others. Advance reviews on the picture indicate that it is a worth-while comedy drama.

Tom Mix, the star cowboy, screen artist, is to appear in his latest picture creation, "Trailin'," as one of the features for the last part of the week, starting Thursday. The story involves a deep mystery affecting several lives, and is based on Max Brand's novel of the same name. Mix is first discovered in a drawing room with his wealthy father, and those who have never seen the star in a Tuxedo will be curious to see him in something other than a cowboy suit. Mix shows them several things, including a new brand of horsemanship, some novel gun-play and other stunts. Miss Eva Novak, as handsome and fascinating as ever, plays opposite the star.

There's a new kind of a flapper seen in "Don't Get Personal," the starring vehicle for Marie Prevost. The story is by I. R. Ving and Doris Schroeder, and concerns a young and fascinating girl of the great white way who strays into the peaceful paths of a millionaire's country estate. What she learns there would make the average girl look like a piker in the way of worldly knowledge. The reason for this sudden acquisition of knowledge is that the sweet thing tries to save a harmless young man from the wiles of an alluring vamp. Why she does it—Cupid only knows—and Cupid is too mad to talk about it. Miss Prevost is as charming as ever, while the supporting cast has T. Roy Barnes and others of equal screen ability. The usual comedy and International Weekly will help round out an unusually strong bill for the week-end. Don't miss it.

A special feature for Tuesday night will be general dancing, to music by a jazz orchestra, in the lobby of the theatre, immediately after the performance. Every patron who attends is cordially invited to remain and enjoy the pleasures of the dance.

RIALTO THEATRE

A moving picture bill that will speak for itself without any flourishes in the announcement coming from the Rialto theatre regarding its booking for the three first days of the coming week. The feature attraction is the B. A. Walsh production, entitled "The Oath," which is ably supported by another smashing attraction, "The Cave Girl," also a comedy and the Kinograms. It is needless to say anything about this booking, but we strongly advise you to see it for yourself.

Katherine Macdonald, known as the American beauty of the screen, and little Wesley (Freckles) Barry form the two leading characters of the picture, "Stranger Than Fiction," which is booked for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. "The Journey's End" is another of the same booking.

For Sunday the Rialto is having "Polly With a Past," also "The White Youth," with an all-star cast. Some first class vaudeville will finish the program.

OPERA HOUSE

"The Shifters," a Company of High Class Musical Comedy Stars Will Entertain at the Opera House Next Week

Another solid week of merrymaking and fun is assured the patrons of the Opera House commencing Monday next when "The Shifters"—a company of high-class musical comedy stars will open an engagement for the week. The week's engagement will include performances every afternoon and night excepting Tuesday evening.

"The Shifters" are described as "a jazzy and jovial collection of boys and girls—all clever and clean, who know how to entertain and whose reputation for giving the very best that the musical comedy stage has to offer, is well known in theatrical circles of the east. The principal funmaker of the incoming company is the popular French Canadian dialect comedian, Al Lemon, who is well and favorably known here. He has developed into a dancer of remarkable skill and has become sufficiently proficient that a challenge is issued for him to meet any or all dancers from near or far, during the coming engagement. Marie Camilla, the prima donna of note, possessing a splendid voice and great personal magnetism, heads the list of sweet singers, among whom are Lillian Ray, a dashing soubrette. Bob Jewett, Bob Ellsworth and others of equal note on the musical stage. The chorus is made up of some of Broadway's favorite entertainers, whose chorus work and dancing earned them merited recognition from some of the biggest New York critics. Owner Schaake has again made a real ten strike in securing "The Shifters" and the patronage will surely agree that he is selecting them with rare judgment. The swagger chorus of singing and dancing beauties help materially to make the offering one of real worth. A special car load of scenery and electrical effects, and a wealth of wardrobe will also contribute materially to the entertaining powers of the presentation. Don't forget to get your tickets well in advance. It will eliminate all possibility for disappointment. And above all else, be sure and come early in the week. The show changed for the last three days of the week. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

KEITH'S THEATRE

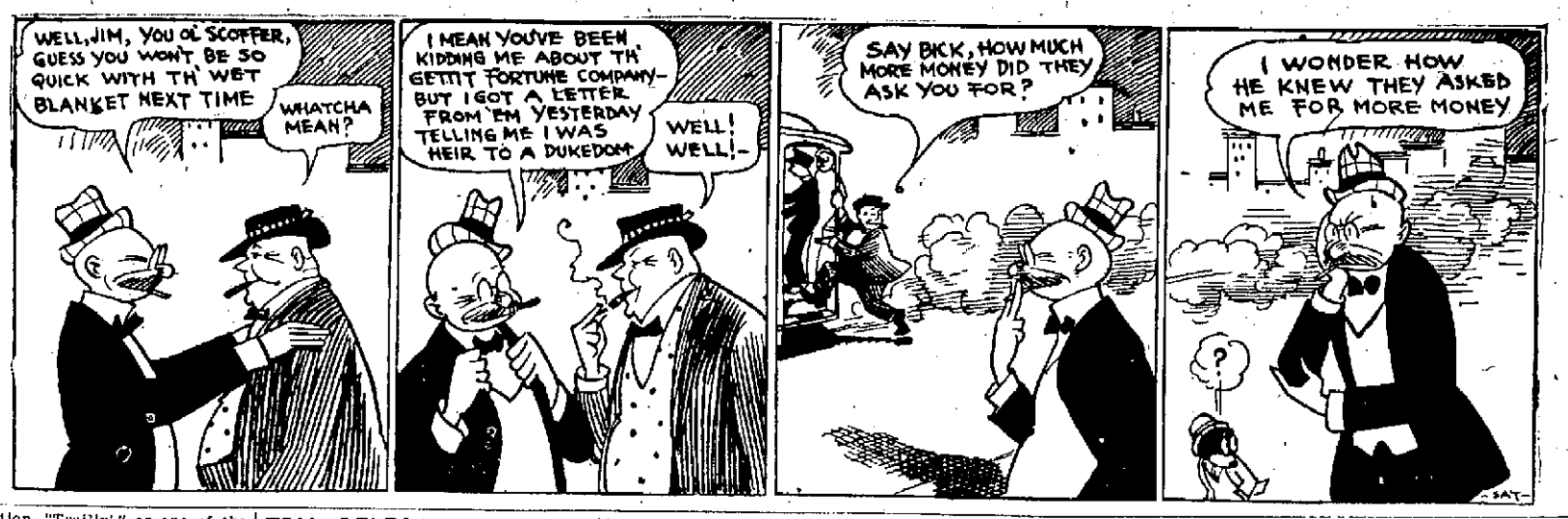
"Schoolboys," a specialty of mirth-provoking quality, was presented by the performers at Keith's theatre at the close of the regular performance yesterday afternoon. The artists enjoyed themselves immensely, giving comic speeches and executing eccentric movements for the edification of the audience.

The specialty matinee was put on for the benefit of the National Vaudeville Artists' Insurance fund, and the proceeds of the performance will go into the treasury of the national headquarters for relief work among the artists who need assistance because of age or for any other reason; a similar action was taken throughout the country yesterday. "Chic" Sale explained the movement before the act began.

The performance lasted about a half-hour, with everybody except the acrobats participating. James Burke was the school teacher, and his work was characterized by German dialect of a high order. The pupils were: Girls: Flo and Ollie Walters, Miss Marlin and Bessye Clifford. Boys: "Chic" Sale, Abe Shapiro, Art Hall and Jack Millard. Miss Durkin took part in the act at the beginning. Comedy honors were shared by Sale and Shapiro. It was difficult, however, to award the palm in this specialty. Chorus singing and rapid-fire fun making were very much in evidence. "Chic" Sale received apparently severe treatment, which should make his face and head rather sore.

The large audience was much enthused by the little comedy act, satisfying that the innovation had been well worth witnessing.

THE BICKER FAMILY



TRIO RELEASED ON BAIL

Were Serving Sentences in Sing Sing Prison for Criminal Anarchy

NEW YORK, April 22.—Isaac Ferguson, Charles E. Ruthenberg and Benjamin Gitlow, serving sentences in Sing Sing prison for criminal anarchy, were released on bail by Judge Cardozo of the court of appeals today on a certificate of reasonable doubt, pending appeals from their convictions. Bail for Ferguson, a former Chicago lawyer, and Ruthenberg, once socialist candidate for governor of Ohio, was fixed at $5000 each. That for Gitlow, a former New York assemblyman, was set at $7500.

The Nesmith Fund Problem

Continued

fore the supreme court justices for consideration.

Mr. Tarbox asked this:

"Do you consider that it is constitutionally legal for any body of men who may constitute the city government for a particular year to bind the city to pay a specified rate of interest on a loan forever?"

"Six per cent" and the word "forever" both appear in the original orders or resolutions creating the funds, passed by the city government of 1870.

Further investigation today into the disappearance of the principal of the funds from the city's books, brought many interesting details to light.

In the first place, there were two funds, one of $25,000 passed by the city council in November, 1870, as Resolution No. 57, and the other for $1000, passed in the council as Resolution No. 54, in April of that same year.

The $25,000 fund carried the provisions that after the acceptance of the principal, interest at the rate of 6 per cent. should be paid forever to the trustees of the fund and that they in their turn, pay to the Ministry-at-Large or to like people, as they might decide; said money to be used for people in temporary need of charity, without distinction of race, color or religion. The trustees named were A. K. Chadwick, A. G. Cummock, Thomas Nesmith and George R. Chandler. Interest, amounting to $1500, was to be paid semi-annually.

The $1000 fund also provided for 6 per cent. interest payments forever, the money to be paid to the High Street Congregational church and used by the pastor and deacons of that church, to sustain the Sunday school and its library. The city of Lowell was appointed trustee of this fund.

Records show that the last interest payments made from both funds occurred in March, 1918.

On May 31, 1918, Everett E. Tarbox, engaged to make the annual audit of the city books, gave a written opinion to James E. Donnelly, then commissioner of finance, to the effect that it should be determined at once whether or not the funds that had been expended for general city expenses were trust funds and should be restored, or whether they were perpetual loans.

Subsequently City Solicitor William D. Regan submitted an opinion to Commissioner Donnelly to the effect that the city was not obliged to continue payments and thereafter no payments were or have been made.

In the opinion rendered Commissioner Donnelly by Mr. Tarbox, the latter says:

"In 1914 the city of Lowell had four different trust or investment funds which had been expended for general expenses of the city, as follows:

"Jonathan Tyler fund, $10,000; Thos. Nesmith fund, $25,000; Thomas Nesmith High Street church fund, $1000; Carney high school medal fund, $200. Total, $36,200.

"In my opinion these funds should have been restored during the year of 1914 in compliance with chapter 634, acts of 1913, that in part, read as follows:

"'During the year 1914 every city or town which has at the time when this act takes effect outstanding notes payable on demand, or which has expended for general expenses trust funds which have not been restored, shall provide for the restoration of such trust funds in the tax levy for 1914.'

"The city did not take cognizance of the act and during 1914 tried to negotiate a loan for the amount of these four funds, but attorneys for the First National bank of Boston gave an opinion that both Nesmith funds were perpetual loans and did not constitute a trust fund, for the restoration of which money could be borrowed under the statutes."

The opinion goes on to say that the result was that $10,000 was borrowed and the Jonathan Tyler fund was restored. Cash for the Carney medal fund was raised by taxation, as is the present method.

Continuing, the opinion says:

"During 1915, while making an annual city audit, I found that three of these funds had not been restored and I immediately called it to the attention of Finance Commissioner William W. Duncan.

"I understand that he endeavored to obtain a legal opinion from the then city solicitor as to the relation of the funds to Chapter 634, but I have been unable to discover that such an opinion ever was rendered.

"Now, in 1918, the condition of the funds is the same as in 1915.

"I feel duty bound to bring this matter to your attention. Either these three funds are trust funds and as such should be restored by the city, or they are perpetual loans."

The opinion terminates with the following question:

"Do you consider that it is constitutionally legal for any body of men who may constitute the city government for a particular year, to bind the city to pay a specified rate of interest on a loan forever?"

TANKER AGROUND IN DRAW; TRAFFIC DELAYED

FALL RIVER, April 22.—Tanker Swift Star of the New England Oil Refinery fleet, went aground in the draw of the Slades Ferry bridge at 6 o'clock this morning, and at 11 a.m. was still holding up all street car and Consolidated railroad traffic over the tracks which cross the bridge. The tanker is clear of the bridge on both sides, but her nose is deep in the mud to the north of the bridge and not until a portion of her cargo has been lightered will she be floated and the bridge opened to traffic.

The Swift Star, Captain James P. Stephenson, cleared from Tampico, Mexico, April 12. She was in charge of Pilot Thomas MacDonald of Newport when she went aground this morning.

N. H. CONFERENCE OF M. E. CHURCH

LAWRENCE, April 22.—At today's session of the New Hampshire conference of the Methodist Episcopal church a committee that is studying a proposed merger of the New Hampshire and Vermont conference reported progress, and it was voted that the committee continue its work and that the Vermont conference be notified of the attitude of the local conference.

It was voted to send resolutions on the persecutions of the Christians in Armenia to Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes.

Rev. R. T. Wolcott of Sunapee, N. H., was reappointed field secretary of the Preachers' Aid society.

A committee, including two local pastors, was appointed to draw up a statement regarding the textile strike, the same to be acted upon at the closing session on Monday.

RIALTO

MON., TUES., WED.
— IN —
Miriam Cooper

THE OATH

Companion Feature
"THE CAVE GIRL"
With An All-Star Cast

SUNDAY
Double Feature, Vaudeville

New JEWEL Theatre

Big Sunday Program
THOMAS MEIGHAN in
"Civilian Clothes"
The good luck star in an entertaining comedy-drama—7 acts.

Second Big Feature
ZEENA KEEFE in
"The Amateur Widow"
Five acts of fun and romance.

Comedy: "BLOWING BUBBLES"
Latest International News

Monday and Tuesday
BIG SPECTACULAR PRODUCTION
"WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME"
A nine-act story with a big, vital, timely theme. Starring beautiful ANNA Q. NILSSON.

CROWN THEATRE

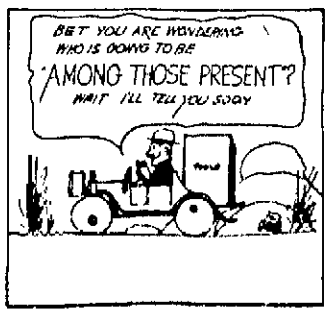
SUNDAY
The famous baseball star,
TY COBB
"Somewhere in Georgia"
(6 Reels)

SPECIAL—"COINCIDENCE"
COMEDY and WEEKLY

Monday and Tuesday
"2 WISE WIVES"
Big Paramount Super Special

ROYAL

For Sunday Only
VAUDEVILLE
Pictures will include MARY PICKFORD in "POLLYANNA" and "HEARTS ARE TRUMPS," a Metro Special.



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B. F. Keith's Third of a Century Anniversary

JAY A DAINTILY PACKED BUNDLE BETTY
Dillon & Parker
In "NIC-NACS OF NOW"

ARTHUR ASTILL
And Dairymaid
Mimic and Ventriloquist

FRANK WARD & DOLLIES
Appearing In His Original Creation

Nifty Musical Absurdity
CHARLES SYLVIA
HARRISON & DAKIN
Present "THE THREE OF US"

DANCING KENNEDYS
In Their Own Creations

VAN CELLO & MARY
"Foot Feats"

SHE CAPTURES ATTENTION
Marguerita Padula
SONG STUDY OF BOYS

Pathe News Topics of the Day Aesop's Fables

2.30 P. M.—TOMORROW'S BILL—7.30 P. M.
Charles "Chic" Sale, Burke & Durkin, Hall & Shapiro, Millard & Marlin, Flo & Ollie Walters, Bessye Clifford, Marie Murray, and Pictures.

— LOWELL — OPERA HOUSE

TONIGHT POSITIVELY LAST TIME
TOMMY LEVENE'S
FROLICS OF 1922

THE REIGN OF MUSICAL COMEDY CONTINUES
NEXT WEEK
Beginning at Matinee Monday, Matinee Daily—Every Night but Tuesday.

The Prince of French Canadian Comedians
AL LEMON
MARIE CAMILLA
LILLIAN RAY
A Sextette of Specialty Stars
INCOMPARABLE CHORUS OF MAGNETIC MAIDENS
In Captivating Costumes and Superb Scenic Settings

POPULAR PRICES
RESERVED SEATS NOW ON SALE
R U A SHIFTER? U B A SHIFTER!

TEXTILE STRIKES CUT EMPLOYMENT IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The effect of the New England cotton mill strike is indicated in employment statistics made public yesterday by the bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor for the month of March. A violent decrease in both numbers of workers and total wages paid in 59 cotton manufacturing establishments is shown as compared with February last and with March, 1921. However, an increase in employment and total payrolls is noted in reports from 17 cotton finishing establishments.

The figures made public yesterday show an increase in employment in the men's clothing industry, but decreases in hosiery and underwear and silk. Statistics for the woolen industry are omitted from the report being incomplete at the date of compilation.

As compared with the previous month of February, employes in cotton manufacturing establishments decreased 23.5 per cent, while total payrolls decreased 33 per cent. As compared with March a year ago, total payroll last month decreased 32.6 per cent, while employes decreased 26 per cent.

Increase in Finishing

Seventeen cotton finishing establishments reported for March an increase in workers of 3.3 per cent, as compared with February last, and an increase of 4.5 per cent as compared with March, 1921. Total payrolls decreased, however, 6.6 per cent during the year and increased 4.9 per cent over the previous month.

Hosiery and Underwear

Sixty-four hosiery and underwear manufacturers for March reported a decrease in emloyes of 2 per cent and an increase of wages of 1.6 per cent as compared with February preceding. An increase in workers of 43.3 per cent and of total payrolls of 48.3 per cent is noted as compared with March a year ago.

Silk

Forty-four silk establishments reported slight change over the preceding month, workers decreasing 2 per cent and payrolls 5 per cent. As compared with March a year ago, workers increased 4.4 per cent and payrolls decreased 8.5 per cent.

Clothing

The number of workers employed by 48 men's clothing establishments increased 3.4 per cent, as compared with February, and 19.7 per cent as compared with March, 1921, it is indicated. Total payrolls increased 1.5 per cent over the previous month and decreased 1.2 per cent over the same month a year ago.

During the period Feb. 15 to March 15 wage changes in the textile industry were reported to the bureau as follows:

Cotton Manufacturing

The wages of all employes in three establishments were reduced, two plants being cut 10 per cent, and one plant 20 per cent. Owing to the industrial dispute in some sections of the country, the volume of employment in this industry showed a decrease and the per capita earnings were 6.4 per cent less for March than for February.

Cotton Finishing

No changes in wage rates were reported for this period. The per capita earnings showed an increase of 2.5 per cent when February and March figures were compared.

Hosiery and Underwear

A 5 per cent bonus was granted to 65 per cent of the employes in one mill. When the per capita earnings for March were compared with those for February, an increase of 1.8 per cent was found.

Men's Ready Made Clothing

All employes in one establishment were reduced 10 per cent in wages. A decrease of 1.8 per cent in per capita earnings was indicated when February and March payrolls were compared.

HULTMAN SUPPLIES NAMES TO GOV. COX

BOSTON, April 22.—Chairman Eugene C. Hultman of the commission on the necessaries of life has been requested by Gov. Cox to name the persons who have threatened his position as a result of his activities in the public interest against certain property owners.

While Mr. Hultman declined to make any statement on this matter yesterday, it is known that he has answered the governor's request by giving him the names of the persons concerned and telling the details of the threats made against him.

Governor Cox will probably make a public statement today regarding the matter.

KILLED HER HUSBAND

Woman, Convicted of Manslaughter, Placed on Nine Years' Probation

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Mrs. Julia Johnstone, tried for the murder of her husband, Thomas P. Johnstone, at their Long Beach home, last summer and convicted of manslaughter, yesterday was placed on nine years' probation by Judge Rusa Avery of the Los Angeles superior court.

According to Mrs. Johnstone, her husband was a gambler and bootlegger. She asked him for the sake of their little daughter, to work legitimately, she said. He refused. Later they quarreled and she shot him.

GUEST SOCIAL AT NORMAL SCHOOL

The third guest social of the year was held in the assembly hall of the Lowell Normal school last evening, and was largely attended by the students and their friends. The arrangements were in the hands of Miss Kathleen Hart of Andover, chairman of the social committee, assisted by other committees, the chairmen of which are Mabel McKay, Lowell; Margaret Weed Lowell; Doris Barrie, Lawrence, and Dorothy Hill, Lowell.

Next Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, the 11th lecture in the series on "Progressive Movements in Education" will be held in the assembly hall, when Mr. Carl L. Schrader, state supervisor of physical education, will talk on "The Place of Physical Education in the Modern Schools." All persons interested are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Inez Field Damon and most of the students in the supervisor's course in music left today for Springfield, where they will attend the eastern conference of music supervisors during the coming week.

Miss Josephine Chute of the department of drawing spent yesterday in the Fitchburg Normal school, attending a conference on art education called by the state department of education.

HELD ANNUAL DANCE AND ENTERTAINMENT

The first annual dance and entertainment under the auspices of District 4 Fire company of Dracut, was held last evening in Grange hall, Centre village and was very largely attended, a large number of the guests being residents of the Kenwood district, where the company headquarters is located.

In the early evening concert numbers were given by an orchestra and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour, refreshments being served during intermission.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Arthur W. Pilotte, chairman; Charles Wallwork, secretary-treasurer; William Jubinville and George DeGuise. The officers of the evening were Joseph Murphy, general manager; Tony Viator, floor director; John McManmon, Frank Anghun, William King, Birge Caverly and William Canole, aids.

MASH MAY RUIN LYNN SEWERS

LYNN, April 22.—The residue of home-made liquor, commonly called mash, is obstructing the city's sewerage system. According to Supt. of Streets John R. Graham, the sewers have been clogged by the mash. The mash, with other refuse, forms a cementlike substance which prevents the sewage from flowing. Unless the nuisance is abated the street commissioner claims the sewer system will be ruined.

Mayor McPhetres yesterday issued orders to Chief of Police Thomas M. Burckes to investigate the matter. Chief of Police Burckes has been instructed to order the liquor squad to ascertain the exact location of the clogged sewers and whenever mash is found to be the cause of this condition, residents in the section where the nuisance exists will be closely watched.

WILL EXTEND RETAINING WALL

The Wamesit Power Co. has agreed to extend the retaining wall that is to be erected along the Auditorium side of the Concord river, as far as the buildings of the Sawyer Carriage Co. With the exception of this short stretch the wall will be built by the city.

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Our complete assortment is ready. All fresh and northern grown.

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Buy early. We have the leading makes, the Philadelphia and Eclipse are the leaders.

We have also the Keystone Lawn Mower, lew wheel for gardeners' use.

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First Pictures of Genoa Conference

A great demonstration took place when Lloyd George arrived at Genoa with Mrs. George and their daughter, Miss Megan. Signor Schanzer, right, was at the station to greet them.

First picture to arrive in America of Russian delegates to the Genoa conference. This delegation, headed by Tchitcherin, is the center of attention. Left to right, Rosenberg, Tchitcherin's press chief, Narimanof, Divani, Begzadjan, Sapronow and Sabinin.

MOVE TO AMERICANIZE NAVIGATING CHARTS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Publication in a British semi-official circular of the assertion that American records "show that there are 1200 points on the globe which can be reached only by use of British admiralty charts," brought the statement today from Capt. F. R. Bassett, hydrographer of the navy that out of the 4344 navigating charts of the world on issue through his office to the navy and merchant marine, 1109 are of British production. It was indicated at the department that a new effort to Americanize completely the issue would be made as a step deemed essential not only for naval purposes, but in fostering the merchant fleets.

It has been estimated that a complete American chart set of the navigable waters of the world could be perfected in five years at an annual cost of $100,000 a year, and that $50,000 a year annually thereafter would take care of the corrections.

The new work cannot be undertaken except by congressional authority.

New System of Handling Cases

Continued

calling of cases in which continuances were to be asked right in the midst of the prepared trial docket. Much time has been lost in this manner. Members of the bar and prosecuting officials expressed satisfaction at the manner in which the legal machinery moved today.

As is the usual Saturday custom, a number of liquor cases were listed for trial. The defendants in the majority of cases pleaded guilty.

Charles P. Danas pleaded guilty to operating a motor car without a license and was fined $25. This was his second offense. Danas was warned by the court that a third offense meant both a fine and a jail sentence. Officer Kivlin testified that Danas was driving an auto down East Merrimack street at a terrific rate of speed when apprehended.

Marcin Sopel pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping. Sentence was suspended for a week while his home circumstances were investigated. The court first imposed a fine of $100 and two months in jail. This was later changed to $150 upon a recommendation of Sergt. Winn. Sopel has been in court before, charged with an illegal sale. A half an hour later it was reported to the court that Sopel had two small children and would be unable to pay the fine. The court said that he did not want to take Sopel from his family. The sentence was revoked pending investigation.

Thomas T. Frenette pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping and was fined $100 which he paid.

Charles Czyras pleaded guilty to assault and battery upon his wife. Through an interpreter he told the court that his wife seldom gave him anything to eat. He claimed that when she did put food on the table he was afraid to eat it for fear that it contained poison. The court ordered the case continued to Monday. He also ordered the defendant to be examined this afternoon relative to his mental condition.

The cases against Carl Castor and Fred J. Richards, the two local young men who stole three autos and broke into six stores here a month ago, were called. Owing to the fact that both have been indicted by the grand jury the cases here were dismissed.

Annie J. Maher pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was sentenced to the state farm. She was on probation.

Mary J. Brydon was charged with drunkenness. She was sentenced to the house of correction for one month.

The case of James F. Lannon, charged with the larceny of $2.50 from a store in Liberty square, was from a store in Liberty square, was continued to April 27.

Francisco Gonslaves and Antonio Luz, charged with keeping liquor, had their cases continued to May 6.

The case of Antonis Christoplius, charged with threatening, was continued to Monday.

John Ward made his 60th appearance in local court today. He was charged with drunkenness. He was released from the house of correction last Thursday, after serving a three months' sentence. After agreeing to leave the city, the court decided to give him a chance. He was committed to the state farm under a suspended sentence.

Walter Kedo, pleading guilty to two counts of unlawfully riding on a Boston & Maine freight car, was fined $20.

Frank Simpson of Billerica, faced a larceny charge in which it was said he stole four hens and a barrel. He was given until May 20 to make restitution.

George H. Newell and Thomas Russell, charged with illegal keeping, had their cases continued to May 6. Newell was ready for trial, but Russell has defaulted, and as his case is associated with Newell's, the police wanted time to apprehend Russell.

SCHICK CLINIC

A number of tests were made this morning by Dr. Francis A. Flanagan, director of school hygiene, at the Schick clinic held at city hall.

WATCH AND CHAIN lost on Chelmsford Centre car or from Merrimack sq. to Cherry & Webb's store. Reward, Mrs. Norton. Phone 588.

BIG PROVISION CONCERN MAY LOCATE HERE

Lawrence men, who recently purchased the Associate building, plan to renovate the entire building, especially the first floor, now occupied by a large clothing store which is closing out its business. It is said that the Mohican company, which owns a chain of large provision stores throughout the east, would locate an up-to-date establishment on the first floor if the space could be secured.

With this end in view, Boston and New York representatives of the company yesterday conferred with the new owners in Lawrence. No agreement was reached at the conference and accordingly the men are to go ahead with their original intention of renovation. The local clothing concern will be out of the building by the first of June.

It is then planned to cut the store into five smaller stores with a view to attract more business in the direction of city hall. The owners intend to have plans made and specifications drawn up in case they decide to go through with this plan.

There is a possibility, however, that the Mohican company will take over the store on a long time lease.

If, before the first of June, the Mohican company decides to take the store, renovations to comply with their desires will be made and the plan of cutting up the big store into five smaller ones will be abandoned.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 22, 1922

March

21—James J. Scullin, 3, ac. appendicitis.

April

12—Amanda A. Entwistle, 76, chr. myocarditis.

13—Charles C. Sleeper, 35, bronchopneumonia.
James J. Tame, 57, cancer.
Mathilda Lussler, 81, arteriosclerosis.
George O. Spaulding, 59, bronchopneumonia.

14—Walter Gibaldo, 23, phthisis.
Harvey B. Williams, 73, bronchopneumonia.

15—Albert E. Pligg, 9m., bronchopneumonia.
Bridget Calnin, 56, ac. car, dilatation.
Frederick L. Riley, 27, meningitis.
Philip Riley, 79, embolism.
Joseph Guilmette, 1h., prem. birth.
Essie Campbell, 78, arterio-sclerosis.
——— Yarnal, 5 mins., inst. delivery.

16—Isabella J. Lovejoy, 64, bronchopneumonia.
Joseph R. Aguiar, 27, lob. pneumonia.
James L. Smith, 53, carcinoma.

17—Louis Mahoulis, 6m., cold.
Thomas M. Hannon, 2m., con. debility.
Elizabeth P. Schoon, 59, cer. hemorrhage.
Peter Green, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph Baillargeon, 20mins., prem. birth.

18—Fred E. Connor, 60, cer. hemorrhage.
Gerald C. Drew, 8, ac. drowning.
Hector M. Sutherland, Jr., 2m., ac. bronchitis.

19—Marie L. Dion, 83, angina pectoris.
Alfred Laliberte, 6m., ac. bronchitis.
Andrew Montreuil, 71, bronchopneumonia.
Elizabeth Wilde, 79, cer. hemorrhage.
Michael Droney, 45, comp. commin. fracture of skull.

STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

LOWELL COUPLE ARRESTED IN LYNN

LYNN, April 22.—Samuel Posner and Marguerite Sullivan, both of Lowell, were held in $2500 bail here last night on charges of violating the drug law by being present where drugs were found.

The two were arrested when police raided a hotel and seized a quantity of drugs. Posner and Miss Sullivan sai dthey were visiting friends in the room where the drugs were found.

Occupants of an adjoining room where the police found some broken hypodermic needles were also arrested.

URGES ACTION ON SHIP BILL

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Favorable action by congress on the ship subsidy bill was urged today at the joint congressional hearing on the measure by George Donworth, a Seattle attorney, who said the Seattle chamber of commerce and similar civic organizations in eight other cities in the state of Washington has endorsed the administration program.

Mr. Donworth reported that public sentiment in the northwest was strongly in favor of the bill.

RESINOL

Soothing and Healing Household Ointment

DANCE FLOOR CARRYING 500 PERSONS SINKS

DERRY, N. H., April 22.—During the progress of a dance in the Broadway theatre block last night, a dance hall floor in the second story, carrying 500 dancers, started to sink. Beneath was the theatre in which were seated 400 people. The floor started to sink with explosive reports. Barring the fainting of a few young women, every person of almost a thousand escaped. The police then took possession of the building and are investigating the construction.

BENEFIT LECTURE FOR VASSAR FUND

Miss Eloise Hersey of Boston lectured at Rogers Hall school yesterday afternoon on one of the season's most widely discussed novels, "If Winter Comes." She called it the best novel of the year and outlined the essential features of a good novel as she sees them. She pointed out how the theme of the story is built on Shelley's "Ode to the West Wind": "If winter comes, shall spring be far behind?"

The lecture was given for the benefit of the Vasaar college endowment fund and was quite well attended.

JOY RIDES AND MOVIES IN CHINA

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Bright lights, joy rides and the movies have made a hit in China, Trade Commissioner Lynn W. Meekins reported from Shanghai today.

"The Chinese," he said, "are just as fond of the white lights as the most exuberant Broadway crowd. The joyride, too, made an immediate hit in China and motor cars are being multiplied. The Chinese are so enthusiastic over motion pictures that they have begun producing films themselves."

MODERN REVERE FINED FOR SPEEDING

BOSTON, April 22.—Martin Semonian, who hails from Lexington, believes that Paul Revere was a piker for speed.

Just to show how the message to the Minute Men should have been delivered, Martin drove over Revere's old course in an automobile. He made better speed than the revolutionary hero—averaging 50 miles an hour—but the police, not recognizing him as a modern Revere, chased him through three towns, haled him into court and an unappreciative judge fined him $85.

PIANO RECITAL

The pupils of Veronica Rose Barr will give a piano recital at her studio, 121 Agawam street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Barr will be assisted by Mrs. Margaret McDonough Maguire, soprano; Miss Margaret Mahoney, reader; Miss Blanche Walsh, violinist. Miss Barr is also a pupil of Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye.

SPENT HALF HER TIME IN BED

Farmer's Wife Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman

Carter's Creek, Tenn. — "Three years ago I was almost an invalid. I spent half of my time in bed, being afflicted with a trouble which women of a certain age are apt to have. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I am a well woman now and have been for two years. I can work as well as any one who is younger and as I am a farmer's wife I have plenty to do for I cultivate my own garden, raise many chickens and do my own housework. You may publish this letter as I am ready to do anything to help women as I have been so well and happy since my troubles are past."—Mrs. E. T. GALLOWAY, Carter's Creek, Tenn.

Most women find plenty to do. If they are upset with some female ailment and troubled with such symptoms as Mrs. Galloway had, the smallest duty seems a mountain.

If you find it hard to keep up, if you are nervous and irritable, without ambition and out of sorts generally, give the Vegetable Compound a trial.

Pan-American Women's Conference Ends

BALTIMORE, April 22.—Resolutions embodying in concrete form, the work of the Pan-American conference of women, which will end officially this afternoon will be brought in at the closing session by a committee. Many delegates will remain here next week for the convention of the National League of Women Voters.

Shot in Head But Escapes Fatal Injury

BROCKTON, April 22.—Edwin E. Hall was shot in the head but escaped fatal injury when he was attacked in a public garage at 7 o'clock this morning by Henry Cabledon, aged 24, a garage employe, whom the police allege had worked himself into a frenzy over a slight dispute with Hall during the week. In district court Cabledon was held for hearing April 24 on charges of attempting to murder and with unlawfully carrying a loaded revolver.

Greeks Take Positions in Meander Valley

ATHENS, April 22.—Greek troops are occupying the positions evacuated by Italian forces in the Meander valley of Asiatic Turkey, says an official communique. The Turkish national forces have offered but slight resistance.

COAKLEY IS DISBARRED

Judge Jenney Bases Finding Upon Stearns and Tufts Cases

BOSTON, April 22.—An order for the disbarment of Daniel H. Coakley, prominent Boston attorney, on charges of extortion and perjury, preferred by the Boston Bar association, was directed late yesterday by Judge Chas. F. Jenney of the superior court. It was alleged by the bar association that in 1918, Coakley entered into a conspiracy to secure the commission of crime by Capt. Charles E. Stearns, in order to enable Helen W. Stearns, wife of Capt. Stearns, to obtain a divorce on the ground of adultery, and that in July, 1921, at the trial of former District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, before the supreme judicial court, Coakley testified falsely under oath.

Earlier in the week Coakley, whose name was mentioned frequently in the trials of Tufts and Joseph C. Pelletier, removed as district attorneys, respectively of Middlesex and Suffolk counties, withdrew from the hearings before Judge Jenney, after announcing that it was "humanly impossible" for him to get his day in court. He argued that as Judge Jenney, assigned to hear the petition of the bar association, had concurred in the decisions of the full bench removing Tufts and Pelletier, the court was powerless to give him an impartial trial.

"Before this court I am prejudiced," said Coakley. "It is not a hearing that is offered me but an autopsy."

In his finding yesterday the judge declared the evidence submitted to him by the bar association sustained the charges against Coakley, and he pointed out that no attempt had been made to explain or controvert that evidence to supplement it with other evidence, tending to show that the conclusions reached in the Tufts case were incorrect.

Hunt Slayer of Ticket Agent

Continued

that Kivlan had expected to be back in Winchester earlier in the day.

The police expressed belief that the Pittsfield inquiry might prove important because of the theory that Brewster was killed in revenge.

The police were also interested in the New Hampshire end of the inquiry as the result of the finding of a hat bearing the mark of a Manchester, N. H., maker, near the station platform, and retained by the police as possibly the most valuable clew they have yet picked up. The owner of the hat was reported to have been interviewed by the police last night in Manchester.

Mrs. Brewster, widow of the murdered man, went to Boston today to seek permission from the medical examiner the first game played by the Pittsfield tonight.

Chief McIntosh and Walter Redell, a railroad towerman who is believed to have been the last person to see Brewster alive, went to the district attorney's office at Cambridge today. They had a conference with District Attorney Saltonstall.

Clerk Taken to Boston

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 22.—A clerk in the local hat store whose trade mark in the hat found less than 200 feet from the Winchester, Mass., railroad station, where Ralph W. Brewster, ticket agent, was shot and killed Thursday night, was taken to Boston today by Massachusetts state police officers in an effort to discover the owner of the hat. The management of the store stated that identification is practically impossible.

Massachusetts police at Pittsfield, N. H., Brewster's former home, were still active in their investigations, seeking a possible enemy of the man. The Manchester police department, as well as those of surrounding towns, is aiding in the work.

Belief that Brewster might have been taken for Frank McGrath, former Winchester ticket agent and now employed at the local station of the Boston & Maine, was definitely abandoned today, when McGrath explained that he had never served on the night shift at Winchester. Confusion of the two men would be out of the question, as McGrath is much taller and heavier than Brewster.

1922 Coal Thrift Club

It's going strong. New members are constantly coming in. It's one of the best ways to provide for next season's coal. You pay a dollar to join. The dollar goes on your coal. You pay a little down each week till October 1, and your coal is all paid for when you need it, and you are sure of your coal.

Come in and join now and get started on the road to thrift, happiness and contentment.

We are now on the fourth week of the miners' strike. It has taken all this time to present just the miners' side. It will take several weeks to present the operators' side, and then several weeks for decision. It all means loss in production. It looks to us like a shortage of coal in the fall. Use your own judgment, however, but join the THRIFT CLUB. We are at your service.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS—BUILDING NOTES

BUILDING PERMITS

The following permits for new construction and alterations were issued this week by the inspector of public buildings:

James Reynolds, 49 Liberty street, repairs to piazza; cost, $25.

Addie E. Cashin, 156 Wilder street, garage; cost, $500.

Onesine Brissette, 59 Townsend avenue, new foundation and roof on one-family dwelling; cost, $150.

William Dube, 100 Ludlam street, garage; cost, $75.

Lonnie M. Blodgett, 366 Westford street, interior alterations; cost, $50.

John P. Quinn estate, 4-10 Dix street, addition to stable; cost, $400.

John P. Quinn estate, rear of 984 Gorham street, addition for coal shed; cost, $400.

William E. Rowlandson, 136 Parkview avenue, garage; cost, $500.

Harriet E. Broadbent, 42 Maple st., addition for garage and workshop; cost, $200.

Charles T. Killpatrick, 28 Merrill street, two-car garage; cost, $200.

Royal K. Dexter, 319 Wilder street, addition to piazza; cost, $300.

Claudia Cushman, 55 Fifth avenue, addition to piazza; cost, $150.

T. W. Johnson, 487 Andover street, change stable into garage; cost, $500.

Middlesex Machine Co., 42-46 Lee street, brick building for shop use; cost, $14,250.

Thomas Keegan, 22 Elsworth street garage; cost, $250.

G. Robillard, Barbara street, 4-room dwelling; cost, $950.

William and Rose Kealy, 52 Franklin street, addition of one room; cost, $200.

Michael T. Riley, 52 Upham street, one-family dwelling; cost, $3000.

Eva M. Littlefield, 26 Freemont street, garage; cost, $125.

George Lussier, 903 Moody street, garage; cost, $250.

John E. Grenier, rear of 76 Mammoth road, hen coop; cost, $25.

Franz Gilbert, 50 Laurel street, garage; cost, $200

Alfred J. Allard, 16 Usher street, one-family dwelling; cost, $2500.

Bergeron & Parent, 285 Thorndike street, new office space; cost, $400.

C. Harry Clapp, 533 Middlesex street, change over for office; cost, $300.

D. A. Schulte, 7 Merrimack street, new entrance to building; cost, $500.

John S. Peters, 139 Central street new store front; cost, $300.

Paige Street Baptist church, 79 Loring street, garage; cost, $100.

Jeremiah Chaput, 246 Aiken avenue, garage; cost, $400.

Rose Lempkin, 392-394 Bridge street, stores; cost, $4000.

Charles H. McKenney, 27 Orchard street, garage; cost, $75.

Alphonse Noel, 321-323 Riverside street, 2-family dwelling; cost, $5000

C. Harry Clapp, 537 Middlesex street change store fronts; cost, $700.

Leo Moreau, 45 West street, garage; cost, $150.

Esrel Greenberg, 235-235 Chelmsford street, two-family dwelling; cost, $5000.

In building a new home plan to have ice put in refrigerator from outside. You can get any size Eddy refrigerator with ice door in back as well as front at A. E. O'Heir & Co., Hurd street. Adv.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Thos. H. Elliott—real estate and insurance—offices, 64 Central street, cor. Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week:

On behalf of Daniel F. Murphy, conveyance has been made of the modern two-apartment property at 47-49 Twelfth street, at the head of June street. The apartments have eight rooms, bath and heat each. The land conveyed totals 8795 square feet. The grantee is Charles A. Rogers of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company.

Also the sale of a small farm property situated in Tewksbury. The parcel totals four acres, the house being in cottage style. The transfer is negotiated on behalf of Lyman F. Priest of Gleasondale, Mass., the grantee being Agnes G. Carr of this city.

Final papers have been passed in the transfer of an investment parcel comprising two houses of one and one half story type and located at 220-222 Thorndike street. The houses are modern in every way and occupy land to the amount of 3407 square feet. Conveyance is made on behalf of E. F. Grant, the grantee being S. J. Ryan.

On behalf of Miss Mary A. Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., conveyance has been effected of a parcel of land situated on Lakeview avenue near its junction with Mammoth road in the Collinsville section. The lot totals 6450 square feet with a street frontage of fifty feet. The grantee is John J. Connolly of the Collinsville school.

Final papers have been passed in the transfer of a two-apartment parcel at 10-21 Liberty street. The apartments have seven rooms and bath each. The land conveyed approximates 8490 square feet. Conveyance is effected on behalf of J. G. Wright, the grantee being Catherine F. Geary, buying for combined purposes of occupancy and investment.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

LOWELL

Michael J. Grady, et ux, to Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Middlesex Park.

Eugene F. Callahan, et al, to Cameron Ice Cream Co., Lowell, Middlesex st.

Eva Schulman, to Joseph F. Garrity, Thorndike st.

Emily F. Hatch, et al, to Addie A. Streeter, Sixth st.

Helen A. Sargent, to Charles W. Frost, Walnut st.

Hercule A. Toupin, et al, by Sheriff to Samuel Scott, Aiken st.

David Dundon to Mary K. Dundon et al, Columbia park.

Frederick A. Small to Leona M. Small, Whitney ave.

Anna L. Murphy et al to Charles B. Rogers et ux, Twelfth st.

Mary T. Shea et al to Raoul Grenon, Varnum avenue terrace.

Bridget J. Roche et el to George B. Roche et ux, Central st.

George J. Sanborn to E. Gaston Campbell, Burnaby st.

Robert H. Elliott to James H. Whitney et ux, London st.

Angie G. Dinsmoor to Auburn H. Taylor et ux, Burlington ave.

Albert J. Ryan, tr, to James F. Keene et ux, Pemberton st.

Fred W. Wood et al, trs, to Sarah Potter, Wetherbee ave.

Fannie W. Burnham et al to Sabatino Di Profio et ux, Middlesex st.

Auburn H. Taylor et ux to Thomas V. Butler et ux, South Loring st.

James Corbo to Concetta Corbo, Whipple st.

Clara M. Mongrain to Marie Anne Houde, Sarah ave.

Michael Corbett to James Hodnett, Corbett st.

Lydia O. St. John to James J. McGuigan, Nesmith st.

James H. Ames et ux to Sterling B. Crosby, Light ave.

J. Emile Bourque et ux to Wilfred Forget et ux, Dracut st.

Joseph G. Wright to Catherine F. Geary, Bellevue st.

William J. Crossley et ux to Walter H. Lorman et ux, Humphrey st.

Louis Marion to Leander Marion, Rosemont terrace.

Louis Marion to Alcide Demers et ux, Rosemont terrace.

Warren H. Sherman to Rose Lemkin, Rutland st.

Lucile W. Lamson et al to Stephen J. Ryan et ux, Thorndike st.

Alice Dinsmoor to Angie G. Dinsmoor, Stevens st.

Annie A. Hurd to Frank W. Hurd et ux, Harrison st.

Alfred J. Foster to A. J. Foster Shoe Co., Lowell, Willie st.

TEWKSBURY

Emma Priest, et al, to Agnes G. Carr.

TYNGSBORO

Margaret R. Langston, et al, to Henry Gerard, et al.

WESTFORD

Charles Freiman, to Edward L. Parker.

WILMINGTON

Dudley B. Purbeck, to Eugene B. Hamilton, tr., Billerica rd.

Esther E. Nichols, et al, to Esther H. Nichols, Middlesex ave.

Friendship lodge, A.F. and A.M., Wilmington by trs. to trs. of Friendship lodge, A.F. and A.M., Wilmington.

Laura Myrtle Riley, et al, to Elizabeth Dent, River st.

Dudley B. Purbeck, to Eugene B. Hamilton, tr., Main st.

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BILLERICA

Edgar P. Sellew to Louise G. Hiscox, Shawsheen road.

John A. Richardson et al. to Thomas Elder et ux., Andover road.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Jeannie Higginbotham, Nuttings Lake Park extension.

Frederick C. Engle est. by admx. to Emma M. Young, Cross road.

Emma M. Young to Alice E. Engle, Cross road.

Adolph A. Brand to Edith M. McKenney, Nuttings Lake Park annex.

Annie M. Morse et al. to Walter H. Eaton et ux., Nuttings Lake park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Robert S. Douthart et ux., Nuttings Lake Park annex.

Thomas J. Nee to David W. Bowie, Nuttings Lake Park addition.

Joseph LaBrecque to Philip J. Gralton, Burnham road.

CARLISLE

Emma F. Calef to Fred P. Nickles.

CHELMSFORD

Frank W. Sadler to Charles G. Finn et al., Pinenoedle st.

Loren J. Ellinwood to Edward J. Robbins et al., Acton st.

Harry Anderton et ux. to Josephine G. Clark, Albina st.

Patrick J. McMahon et al. to Michael J. Scollan, McMahon ave.

Mary A. Titus est. by admr. to George O. Jackson, Crooked Spring road.

DRACUT

Fred C. Tobey Investment Co. by tr. to George Koulouris et al., Lakeview gardens.

Marion B. Reed to Reinold Rhomberg, Kenwood.

Alice E. Chapman et al. to John Hesson et ux., Holbrook ave.

Edward Callahan to Manuel Januario et ux.

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Ettu E. Dow et al. to Charles B. Marsh et al.

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GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

An interesting meeting of the directors of the Goodwill Industries was held yesterday. It was a monthly meeting and reports were submitted. The report of the treasurer showed the receipts for the first quarter to be $3906.80, a decided gain over the same period last year. The directors present at the meeting were Mrs. A. E. Swapp, Miss Emily Skilton, D. L. Page, Mrs. Isabelle Lovejoy, Mrs. Jennie Kendrick, A. L. Hiser, Miss Clara Hallock, F. A. Flather, Mrs. Alvena Clough, A. D. Beckes and L. C. Beckes. President D. L. Page presided.

DANIEL H. WALKER

Contractor Daniel H. Walker, of this city, one of the best known men in the general contracting business in this part of the state, has been given the contract for the erection of the Congregational church in Tewksbury Centre. When completed, this building will be another point to the credit of Mr. Walker.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

Lenine Keeps Away From State Affai

LONDON, April 22.—Although official statements by the Russi soviet government have reported Premier Lenine's health satisfacto he continues to keep away from state affairs, says a Revul despat to the Times.

Fix Date for Royal Wedding

BELGRADE, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The marriage King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia and Princess Marie, second daughter King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Rumania, has been definitely fix for June 1, it was announced today.

Turkish Woman Lieutenant in Arm

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—A Turkish woman has been give the rank of lieutenant in the nationalist army, earning her promotion action against the Greeks, says an Angora despatch. This is the highe rank ever held in the Turkish army by a woman. Fatma, the lady question, was a corporal when she led a patrol composed almost entire of women in an attack on the enemy's rear and returned with 25 pri oners, including an officer. Battalions of women were created last yea They have shown great bravery and suffered heavy casualties.

Bulgaria Disarms Wrangel's Troops

SOFIA, April 22.—Bulgaria has notified the Ukrainian soviet govern ment that all the troops under the command of Gen. Baron Wrang arriving in Bulgaria have been disarmed. The note was in reply to Ukrainian message declaring that, in the event of these troops attackin the Ukrain, the incident would be considered an act of war on the pa of Bulgaria.

John D. Has Not Yet Given Consent

CHICAGO, April 22.—The announcement of Max Oser cabled fro Switzerland that he would be wedded to Miss Mathilde McCormick June, was today met with a statement that Miss McCormick and h father, Harold F. McCormick, had made "no plans of any sort" regard ing the date of their departure from Chicago. So far John D. Rock feller, grandfather of Miss McCormick, is not known to have given h consent to the marriage.

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Adventures of the Twins

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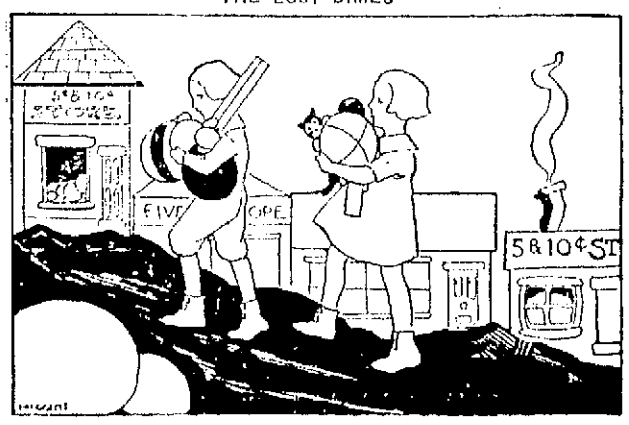

THEY HAD QUITE FORGOTTEN ABOUT THEIR ERRAND.

It was well named the "Five-and-Ten-Cent-Store Mountain."

Nancy and Nick had been in about a dozen stores and there were dozens more to come. Already they had their pockets full and their arms and hands full, and they were still shopping. The more they saw the more they bought, for just as fast as they spent one dime another appeared to take its place.

They had quite forgotten about their errand, about the Princess Theresa, the Diddyovvers and the Korsknotts, Twelve Toes and the Fairy Queen. It really was a wonder that Nick managed to keep his hold on the magic records, which after all, was the real reason for their errand.

More and more stores appeared and the Twins wandered from one to the other like lost Babes-in-the-Woods; stores with white mice, stores with chicks, stores with gold fish, stores with everything, stores with everything, were there.

They'd be there yet, no doubt, and Princess Theresa would have married no one and died an old maid had not the red feather pen in Nick's pocket played a trick. It was no use writing messages to the Twins. They wouldn't have paid any attention to them if he had. So when the next new dime appeared in Nick's pocket the pen ripped a neat hole and the dime fell out.

Nick's senses came back with a rush and he caught Nancy's hand. "Close your eyes," he commanded in a big brother way. "I'm going to lead you the rest of the way over this mountain. I'm not going into another store not if it falls on me and not if I can buy an automobile made of pure gold for 10 cents."

I think it was a bit mean of him to blame it on Nancy, don't you? But men mostly do.

Suddenly a queer thing happened. All the bundles and bags and things the children had bought disappeared into thin air. And all the stores disappeared, too, and the dime in Nancy's pocket.

"It was magic, wasn't it?" gasped the little girl. "Do you s'pose Twelve Toes did it all?"

"Of course," said Nick.

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Y.M.C.A. AUXILIARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Y.M.C.A. auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon with President Sturtevant in the chair. The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Henry K. Vye of the Calvary Baptist church, who spoke on "A Wireless World." Refreshments were served by the women of the church.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

The nominating committee has recommended the following list of officers for the Middlesex Women's club, for the season of 1922-23, and it has been posted in the club rooms by the executive committee: President, Mrs. Otis L. Humphrey; vice presidents, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Mrs. John A. Hunnewell, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin; recording secretary, Mrs. Josiah Butler, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edward W. Trull, treasurer; Miss Julia T. Pevey; chairman of finance, Mrs. James F. Owens, directors (term expires 1925), Miss Helen Wilson Barnes, Mrs. Arthur Bartlett, Mrs. Arthur A. Wright.

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Quarter Century Ago

From 1893, when there was a great business depression, until 1897 the labor unions of Lowell were in a very demoralized condition. Just twenty-five years ago the Trades and Labor council was formed and has continued in operation ever since with a steadily increasing influence and usefulness.

One of the active unions in that movement was the Cotton Spinners' In reference to which the following from the old Sun is of interest:

"Last night, the cotton spinners held an enthusiastic meeting in their hall on Middlesex street. Michael Duggan was elected secretary.

"Alexander Ray and L. W. Weeks were present to address the meeting in regard to the new Central Labor council. The spinners voted to join a central trades council but one of their officers said it must be free from politics, as no other can exist in Lowell as the experience of the past five years has completely disgusted all the labor men of the city. In order to promote the interests of labor in general, politics must be eschewed and on this condition alone can a central trades council be established here."

Mathews Easter Ball

Since its early history the Mathew Temperance Institute has conducted an Easter Monday ball. Twenty-five years ago it held the 16th in its history, so that the event held this year was the 41st annual ball. The officers 25 years ago were: General manager, John J. Burns; assistant, John J. Gallagher; floor director, Patrick F. Reilly; assistants, John J. Pinder, James E. McKeon.

City Horses Burned

Says the old Sun:

"A mysterious fire and a dangerous one occurred last evening in the board of health stable in which six fine draft horses were destroyed and a conflagration averted only by promptness and great efforts of the fire department.

"Two were smothered by smoke while three were fatally burned. The remaining animal was frightfully burned about the head, though able to walk. Its eyes were burned out, however, and Dr. Viles put an end to its suffering with a bullet."

Schrader, Divine Healer

Quarter century ago, Schrader, the then famous divine healer, visited Lowell and for some weeks was an object of great curiosity. It seemed that he affected in his facial appearance an imitation of the pictures of the Savior. He was in reality a venerable looking personage and impressed many of those who visited him as being gifted with divine power. Speaking of his visit the Sun had the following:

"The lame, the halt and the blind, all wended their way to the unpretentious brick house at 79 Appleton street yesterday and this morning to be blessed and as they hoped to be cured by Schrader, the far-famed divine healer.

"He occupies a large, airy, but not luxuriously furnished room on the second floor. He came into town unheralded, will bless thousands and will probably steal away as quietly as he came.

"Schrader does not claim to be divine, but does assert that he is endowed with divine powers in the matter of healing. He does not charge any fee for his blessings, but will accept any gift offered him.

"His long dark hair parted in the middle falls in graceful curls over his shoulders and hides his ears. His face, which is rough skinned is covered with a thick beard and brown moustache, the former just hiding his collar. Many who have seen him were struck with his resemblance to the picture of the Savior and this is undoubtedly a large part of his stock in trade. Thus far, no cures are reported as a result of his healing."

25 Years Wed

From the old Sun:

"At the residence of the bride, 27 West Fourth street, Mr. Otis R. Atherton and Miss Gertrude E. Bands were, last evening, April 21, united in marriage by Rev. Frank K. Stratton of St. Paul's church. They will live at 27 West Fifth street.

Bird—Fiske

"Society attended the marriage of Miss Julia Hudson Fiske, daughter of the late General W. O. Fiske, and Mr. Frank Edward Bird, cashier of the First National bank of Saratoga, in the Unitarian church, last evening. While the guests were arriving, N. W. Mansfield gave an organ recital and during the ceremony Miss Agnes Everett of Boston, sang the bridal hymn. Rev. P. T. Billings performed the ceremony.

Monahan—Gleason

"At St. Patrick's parochial residence last evening, April 21, Mr. John Monahan and Miss Annie Gleason, a teacher in St. Patrick's Sunday school, were united in marriage. Mr. Thomas Gallagher was best man and Miss Nellie Daly was bridesmaid."

Greeks Went To Fight the Turks

Twenty-five years ago, Greece was involved in a war with Turkey and was getting the worst of it as far as reports of that time went. Greece sent out a call for her nationalists in this country and many of them responded. The following from the old Sun indicates that the men of this city as usual were ready to fight for their motherland:

"We start for Greece, but we will never forget America. We like this country and may God never give to America any calamity. She treated us like her sons and we want to treat her like our mother."

"Such was the sentiment of Prof. M. Iatros and his eight compatriots on the eve of their departure for their native land to fight the battle of their country. On Monday, 30 more Greeks will leave this city for Greece, and in the course of a week or ten days, the number will be increased to 70 or 80."

OLD TIMER.

LAST IN SPECIAL LECTURE COURSE

The last in a special lecture course at the Grace Universalist church last night brought to the city Noah Bellhaus, a noted reader of unusual skill and interpretative ability. He entertained a large audience with readings and impersonations from Edward Eggleston's "Story of a Hoosier Schoolmaster."

A great deal of success has marked the lecture course this winter, due mainly to the efforts of the Comrades, an organization of men of the church, who have become active in its social life. For this reason it is planned to conduct another course next winter, possibly larger in scope, for it is felt there is a real demand for such high grade entertainment in the neighborhood of Grace church.

Dave Shade, of the famous fighting family, will meet Denny O'Keefe in Kenosha on Monday evening, May 1.

Y. M. C. A. MINSTREL SHOW BIG SUCCES

The Y.M.C.A. minstrel show "Starland," held last night in Colonial hall, made a decided hit. The song dances and jokes were all good and the manner in which they were put across would do credit to professionals.

H. J. Roberts acted as interlocutor and had the following for end-men: George Thursby, Charles Clancy, Herbert Stromquist, Robert Oates, Gus McKenzie and Ted Wick. Added features of the show were the Ives Brass quartet of Boston and the Mendelssohn Male quartet of this city.

The program follows:

Grand Opening Chorus, Entire Company
Eng Song, Ten Little Fingers, Herbert Stromquist
Ballad, That's How I Believe in You, James Jones
Synropated Steppers to the Elite, Ted Williams and Roy Royce
End Song, "Tucky Home, Gus McKenzie
Tenor Solo, Selected, Harry Pascall
Selections, Ives' Brass Quartet
End Song, Dapper Dan, Ted Wick
Ballad, April Showers, G. Emmet Roberts
End Song, Granny, George Thursby
Duet, I'll Forget You, Hall and Kershaw
End Song, Carolina Rolling Stone, Charles Clancy
Bass Solo, Selected, Harry Needham
Selections, Mendelssohn Male Quartet of America
End Song, I've Got My Habits On, Robert Oates
Closing Chorus, Company

The chorus—Scott Clement, Clarence Gumache, George Sanford, Percy Douglas, John True, Albert Nichols, Kenneth Lothrop, Wayne Peterson, Alfred McGregor, Harold Patten, Harold Scott, John Turnbull, Milton Brooks, A. Johnson, Fred Winkler, William Nickerson, Bertice Spears, Everett Fernald, Malcolm Davis, Herbert Domesnil, Charles Morse, Clifford Kittredge, Walter Sutherland, Ralph Hesilton, Edward Fuller, F. J. McDonald, Stanley Shannon, Miles Gallagher, Lemuel Conroy, Frederick Roberts, Laurd Graham, Alfred Lo[illegible]ports.

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In fact, that's what has been done and found practicable.

The means is a traveling radiophone pay station.

First tests of this new form of communication were made recently on a Delaware & Lackawanna railroad train equipped with wireless apparatus for receiving and sending. The antenna was strung along the top of the cars low enough so as not to be torn down when the train passed through a tunnel.

The whole set was put up in a cabinet form, much like the wire telephone pay station you use at the drug store.

Tests are now being made to enable radio conversation to go on between two persons over the same instruments at he same time. When that is made possible, talking by radio will be like talking by wire telephone.

Then, all that will be needed is a slot box to make the traveling radiophone pay station usable. Dropping a coin would complete the circuit which allows use of the radiophone for a certain length of time. After that the circuit automatically would open and an additional coin would be needed to continue the radio conversation.

AUXILIARY COIL ADDS TUNING CAPACITY

BY R. L. DUNCAN
Director, Radio Institute of America

Can an amateur increase the tuning capacity of his radio receiving set?

Easily. If the tuner he is using will not respond to wave lengths above 450 meters, let him wind a single tube with several turns of wire, put a slider or taps on it for variation, and connect in series with the aerial. This should be placed ahead of the primary and secondary circuits.

This adds some resistance to the set, but it increases the wave length. By having it so hooked up with a small switch, the operator can cut in or out, using the extra coil only when necessary.

You will recall that we can change the wave-length by varying the capacity and inductance in a transmitter. The same rule holds true in a receiver.

Tapping Primary

The primary of the coupler in the receiver is tapped so that more inductance may be added and a longer length received. The variable condenser in series with the aerial decreases the length.

Th condenser shunted across the secondary adds capacity to that part of the circuit and puts it in resonance with the primary.

It will be noted in most diagrams of receiving circuits that a small fixed condenser is shunted across the head phones.

The high inductance of the phones offers considerable resistance, holding back to a certain extent the incoming signals, and thus preventing perfect vibrations of the diaphragms.

But the fixed condenser provides a complete circuit for the high frequency waves without allowing them to pass through the telephone receivers direct.

ANOTHER YOUNG RADIO ENTHUSIAST

One of the latest additions to the local legion of radio enthusiasts is Henry Vallerand of 21 Oliver street, a student at the vocational school.

The young man is about to enter upon his first venture in the radio field. He cheerfully admits that he has not received any training or instructions in operating, but he believes that the present is the best time to start acquiring knowledge of the subject.

Vallerand has been an enthusiast in mechanics for a long time, and has built a workshop of good size at his home. In the shop, he believes, he has a great deal of the necessary material for equipping a radio plant, but in order to get expert information he is getting in touch with Director R. L. Duncan of the Radio Institute of America, whose articles on various matters of interest to radio amateurs are published exclusively in The Sun. As soon as he receives the required information he will start work on his new plant, and expects to have one of the finest in the city.

The new enthusiast believes that his shop will be a splendid location for a radio set, because of its comparative isolation from the section of the city where high voltage wires cause great difficulty to operators. He has evidently been reading on the subject, for he has arranged already for the counteraction of every conceivable difficulty in his path.

When the new set is installed, local followers of the game are likely to hear of some very good results on Oliver street.

RADIO SPARKS

Audio-Frequency—Currents alternating at less than 10,000 cycles a second are termed currents of audio-frequency. This is because the frequency of 10,000 or less, cycles a second produce audible vibrations in a telephone diaphragm.

RADIO PRIMER

Open Circuit—The aerial, or primary, circuit of a radio set which is not directly connected, except by induction, to the secondary or closed circuit, is made by grounding.

RADIO CLUB MEMBERS VISIT BIG STATION

Nine members of the Lowell Radio club visited the great sending station at Marion, Cape Cod, on Patriots day. This station, abandoned during the war, is again in operation and in constant touch with Posen, Germany, and Stavenger, Norway, handling commercial matter only. The most conspicuous feature that came to their attention was the mile-long antennae, which gives the station its long range. The visitors examined the various details connected with the monster transmission apparatus as thoroughly as possible during their limited stay, and were greatly impressed by the enormous proportions of everything they inspected.

The cold change in weather of the past two days has not in the least reduced the amount of static electricity which interferes increasingly with the advent of warm weather. The static condition is changeable at any time of the year, according to local operators, and the air may be surcharged even on the coldest and clearest day. With this condition to cope with from now on, listening-in on concerts and talks will be somewhat less enjoyable.

Proposals on the part of the government to regulate the wave length of radio stations throughout the country is causing consternation among many of the amateur operators, whose equipment would be practically out of touch with the larger stations if the wave lengths were increased. On the other hand, those with more powerful sets are quite undisturbed, and are ready for anything the government may see fit to do.

The complaint by many local amateurs that they cannot get in touch with the Springfield station is answered by experts with the statement that scientists have discovered Springfield is surrounded by lead deposits, particularly on the easterly side. The sendings from this station are easily heard to the westward, but in this vicinity are available only to certain of the better types of apparatus.

FEW LESS HENS BUT MORE RADIO

The following letter recently arrived at the Freed-Eisemann Radio corporation headquarters in New York. It gives just a hint of the growing interest taken by everybody in radio, and shows that it pays to mix a little sentiment with a little business.

The letter reads:

freed-eisemann corporation,
new York,
dear Sirs,

I have just received your acknowledgement of my order to be shipped c. o. D. bit I find that you will have to give me Terms if you are to sell me. I am only 12 (twelve) years old and am a Boy Scout, as I have already told you, and being a Boy Scout I am not able to borrow money from my mother.

I saw your advertisement in a Boys' magazine some time ago but did not have the money, but about a Week ago a Man asked me if I would sell him some hens. He was to come for them but didn't, so I cannot pay the c. o. D. If you would accept Terms, say a $1 (dollar) down and a Month to pay I could sell my hens to the Butcher as they are not laying and I expect some chicks next week, anyway.

I am enclosing a $1 (dollar) in hopes You will accept my terms. Please tell the post office employes to keep the set at the post office, until I call for it.

Yours Truly,

No Taxes Levied on Wireless

Despite rumors current to the contrary, there is no tax whatever levied against wireless instruments and no license necessary for a receiving set.

SUCCESSFUL WEEK OF RADIO CONCERTS

A very successful week of radio concerts is reported by John Forgan of 43 Fremont street. Last Saturday Mr. Forgan gave a demonstration at the Cheney Allard hospital, with people from many cities present. The demonstration was repeated Sunday with even better results.

Last Wednesday evening was the best of the week. The various broadcasting stations came in with wonderful clarity. Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston was heard in his favorite song, "Sweet Adeline," and a lengthy talk.

Other stations heard from were Pittsburgh, Pa., New York and Medford Hillside. The station operates every night from 7.45 to 10.15 o'clock, except Mondays and Thursdays, and any person or persons wishing to secure a special engagement on any evening may be accommodated by giving Mr. Foggan a little notice. The general public is invited to visit the place at any time and are assured of a pleasant evening's entertainment.

DEAF MAY HEAR BY VACTUPHONE

Earl C. Hanson, radio expert and inventor, has perfected a radio set that will enable deaf persons to hear low conversation from a distance of 60 feet. He calls it a vactuphone. The heart of this instrument is the vacuum tube amplifier, shown in the hand. Besides this there are a vacuum tube detector, a sounding box and head receiver.

PLATE VARIOMETER AFFORDS FINE TUNING

By R. L. DUNCAN
Director, Radio Institute of America

Another way of increasing the tuning capacity of the receiving set is by getting the full benefit of the variometer.

The express purpose of this variometer in the regenerative set is to feed back energy into the grid circuit of the vacuum tube which greatly increases incoming signal strength. By thus simplifying the original grid oscillations more variation of plate current will result.

By this feeding back process the incoming signals are greatly increased in volume. If the user of the regenerative set is patient, he can learn to use this variometer so that he gets the greatest possible selectivity.

The best results are obtained when the circuit is oscillating.

This may be determined by the sound in the head phone which is similar to a hissing sound.

By the use of this set, signals from damped or spark stations will be distorted but readable. Instead of coming in with a high pitched note the signal will sound mushy. Undamped or continuous waves (either telegraph or telephone) will come in their natural tone.

A howling noise may be heard. This indicates that you have too much variation of the plate variometer, or too much "B" battery. The plate variometer is frequently referred to as the "tickler."

RADIO BROADCASTS FOR THIS EVENING

The regular nightly schedule of the Amrad station, W.G.L. for tonight will be as follows:

7.45—Late News Flashes.
7.45—Police Reports.
8.00—Weekly Fashion Talk by Miss Harriet E. Ainsworth.
8.15—"The Story of Engineering" by Professor Gardner Chace Anthony, A. M. Sc.D., Dean of the Tufts Engineering School.
8.30—Philip A. Richenburgh, Tenor. Selections: "Celeste Aida" (Verdi); "Vale" (Russell) "Her Rose" (Ross); "I Hear You Calling Me" (Marshall.)

Vessels Raided in Irish Ports

Continued

at yesterday's meeting of the corporation secured the unanimous adoption of a resolution endorsing the manifesto of a resolution endorsing the manifesto of the labor party and the Trades union congress, issued Thursday night, calling for a one day's strike and demanding action by the Dail Eireann. The resolution directs that all civil offices be closed on the day of the strike, except such as are absolutely necessary.

Appealing to the people to "draw the teeth of the military," the lord mayor described how the people of Dublin nightly were compelled to leave their beds and crouch on floors and hallways in fear of stray bullets, and continued:

"I neither know, nor care, who is accountable, but such scenes would draw tears from stones. What in the name of God is it all about? Is it to bolster up the army that we got rid of the British army. Why not get rid also of the Irish armies? We can dispense with them.

"Send these young men of both armies home; let them do a decent day's work before they become demoralized. Clear these bullies of the night out of the city employ; the money they cost would build houses.

"I have sufficient confidence in the citizens that we would then have peace. Let the militarists take heed. They may override the will of the people, which intends to crush them and which will prevail!"

The Irish teachers' conference has also adopted a resolution in favor of joining the one day strike.

Catholics Being Exterminated

BELFAST, April 22 (By the Associated Press).—The Catholic protection committee last night sent the following telegram to Winston Spencer, ment leader in the house of commons; and Austen Chamberlain, the government leder in the house of commons:

"Belfast Catholics are being gradually, but certainly, exterminated by murder, assault and starvation. Their homes are burned, streets are swept by snipers and life is unbearable. The military forces are inadequate. The special police are hostile.

"The northern government either is culpable or inefficient. Our government saved the Armenians and Bulgarians. Belfast Catholics are getting worse treatment. The last two days here have been appalling."

ORDER RESTORED IN BELFAST

BELFAST, April 22 (By Associate Press) This city returned to comparative quiet today, after a series of grave disorders ushered in with Easter. The only incident reported early in the day was the wounding of a special constable who was struck in the leg by a bullet fired from a window on Dock street. James Greer, who was shot during the sniping on the Albert Bridge road in East Belfast Thursday, died this forenoon.

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Before buying your chocolates or other sweet stuff for the week-end, look over the list of prices submitted by D. J. Apostolos, proprietor of the candy shops at 415 and 455 Middlesex street, published every Saturday on this page. Apostolos sweets are the purest on the market.

ACME WELDING WORKS

If you have parts of your automobile or your stove do not throw them away, but take the pieces to the Acme Welding Works at 16-18 Perry street and the expert employes of the company will weld them for you at a small expense. This firm is one of the most reliable of its kind in this city and it guarantees all its work.

GANLEY, THE TRUCKMAN

If you want goods delivered in Lawrence or Boston, have Ganley, the truckman do it for you. He has trucks that make daily trips to the two cities and that insures quick delivery. It matters not what it is and whom it goes, Ganley will take it for you. Call at his office, 26 Third street, or call him by 'phone, 4859-M.

THE LOWELL SUN

JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor

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CITY BUILDING AND PLANNING

It was hoped that this would be a good building year and it may be in spite of the fact that the cost of labor and material has not been reduced to the extent generally anticipated. There is a demand for more dwellings and there may be more factories built this year despite the depression; but had the building trades lowered their prices, say 10 or 15 per cent, that alone would have given a great impetus to the building operations for the season. It would probably have encouraged some property owners to undertake the construction of large buildings, or at least some more substantial than those now underway.

Up to the present, it has been noticed that most of the building in progress consists of flimsy structures, in some instances so crowded together as to constitute a veritable fire menace. It seems that if our present building laws do not prohibit such crowding of buildings, they should be promptly amended. When tenement houses are so close that boys can almost jump from one to another, there is need of some authority to insist upon less crowding and more space between the buildings, as well as more land for yard purposes.

Something is wrong when such crowding of buildings can take place without any interference from our municipal authorities. It is this species of municipal negligence that has permitted the growth of veritable rookeries and fire traps, not only in Lowell, but in other New England cities. It is high time that the practice were stopped for many reasons. In the first place, such crowding of tenement houses means congestion and a menace to health. Secondly, it means a fire menace to the surrounding district. The people who want tenements at moderate rent because they are unable to pay the rents prevailing in better residential districts, should be protected against the well-known evils of congestion. It is where such conditions prevail that the infant mortality is greatest in summer, and this through no fault of the people who are obliged by circumstances to occupy such tenements. The blame and the entire responsibility reverts to the municipal authorities who should not permit such conditions.

Lowell is not the only city that has been seriously injured by the desire of certain owners or contractors to erect perhaps twenty houses on a piece of land big enough for only one-fourth the number. The city officials who permit such doubtful enterprises are fully as bad as the contractors. It is time we discovered that there is such a thing as city planning, for which some municipal department should be responsible. So far as streets are concerned, we presume the board of public service must be consulted; but in reference to the buildings whether they are up to the standard necessary for the comfort and safety of the occupants, is a matter that should engage our building department. In the past, this city has suffered in the character of its buildings, the direction, width and regularity of its streets, because real estate owners were allowed to build tenement property and lay out new streets with no other thought than to make as much money as possible out of the enterprise.

It was undoubtedly the same kind of commercial spirit and municipal tolerance that gave Boston her crooked and irregular streets, an evil which is now irremediable. It is assuredly time for Lowell to consider the needs of the modern city and to insist upon wider streets than were formerly the vogue and to pass an ordinance prohibiting the crowding of buildings so close together that they offer all the conditions favorable to a conflagration.

This is an evil that should be corrected forthwith in the interest of the public welfare, public safety, and to ensure every family in Lowell sufficient breathing space under healthful conditions. There should be no lowering of standards in tenement property because of the housing shortage.

NEW ENGLAND MENACED

Since the textile strikes started in New England, we have heard much of the disadvantages under which her industries have to work on account of long railroad hauls, the longer working hours in the south and competition from other parts of the country.

For many years New England has held a position of supremacy in the textile and several other important industries, but recently, it seems, that instead of holding a foremost place, New England has dropped backward chiefly because of discriminatory railroad rates. In the past, too, the New England industries were favored not only in railroad services but in tariff imposts, chiefly through the influence of her senators and congressmen. Now, however, even this influence is largely overcome by the agricultural and other blocs that within the last year or two have exercised a controlling power over congress in the interest of the west, middle west and south.

At the present time New England influence apparently is overborne by combinations from other parts of the country, chiefly the south and the west. The time has arrived at which it is necessary for all the New England states to join their forces in the interest of their industries to the end that all present discriminations shall be removed and that in the new tariff bill now under consideration, the industries of this district shall be duly protected. If foreign goods are dumped upon American shores, they will injure the New England industries to a greater extent than those farther west or those of the south.

It seems that the obstacles hoeting New England are not fully appreciated by some of the parties now involved in the various industrial conflicts; but the adverse conditions must be met and overcome by co-operation and persistent work to keep New England to the front as a manufacturing and commercial centre. To this end our senators and congressmen must unite on a fixed policy; otherwise New England will be subject to still greater discrimination through the opposition of rival blocs and interests.

The textile industries on the banks of the Merrimack have an advantage in deriving a share of their power—perhaps one-third—at a cheap rate from the Merrimack river. That advantage helps to offset the disadvantages from distance from the cotton belt and the coal mines. The high freight rates are breaking the backs of many New England industries, and for this there seems to be no sign of immediate relief, although freight rates like the cost of other lines of service must ultimately come down. The manufacturers have already turned to the motor truck for freighting purposes on short hauls; but not until the Merrimack river is made navigable from Lowell to the sea will the mills of the Merrimack Valley be able to defy competition from any source whatsoever.

That the river will be made navigable at some future time, is unquestionable. It is an imperative necessity for Massachusetts, but until it comes, New England will have to put up a vigorous fight for her industrial existence.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Among the encouraging messages issued by business corporations there is perhaps none more optimistic than that recently sent out by J. Ogden Armour who says in effect there is evidence of business recovery on every hand. Industries which have marked time for many months are now proceeding with their plans and it is important that all the people should recognize the fact that conditions have materially improved, as upon their making the best use of present opportunities, will largely depend the early return of prosperity. There is undoubtedly, as Mr. Armour states, an opportunity to aid in this business recovery by co-operation and combined effort. Optimism, courage and determination will tide over difficult times; but as now appears the chief difficulties have been passed and the present outlook for business and improved economic conditions is better than at any time since the close of hostilities. The price of farm products, the basis of all prosperity, have advanced and with these approaching a parity with the prices of other goods, one of the great obstacles to healthy business growth has been removed. It is time, therefore, to put aside everything savoring of business pessimism and to get in line with the onward march of prosperity.

It is true that Lowell, Lawrence and other New England cities and towns in which textile strikes are in progress, are seriously handicapped; but with the settlement of these troubles which, it is hoped, will come very soon, it is expected that business will be resumed with somewhat of a rush and that all hands will be employed full time in all our factories.

FITZGERALD'S CANDIDACY

Hon. John F. Fitzgerald has announced his platform as candidate for governor and it is one that will certainly appeal strongly to a large proportion of the citizens of this commonwealth. The Boston ex-mayor is a wily politician and a good campaigner. The chief features of his platform are such as will enable him to keep his republican opponent on the anxious seat until the votes are counted. At present it seems that he will have no opposition in the primaries.

Governor Cox cannot afford to regard Mr. Fitzgerald as a "joke" candidate for the reason that as a campaigner, the latter can show up republican maladministration, perhaps better than any other man in the democratic ranks. This year especially, there is a vast amount of good campaign material to be brought before the voters as showing republican shortcomings and corruption. This state is republican, of course, but is not so politically bidebound as to uphold the entire party ticket if anybody comes forward to show that the nominees or any of them have betrayed the public trust or played false to the people.

With Mr. Fitzgerald conducting a vigorous campaign for governor and Col. Groton or Sherman Whipple opposing Mr. Lodge for the United States senate, we may expect to see an exceedingly lively campaign. It can be said in advance that if the republicans elect their candidates for the two offices mentioned, and there is nothing certain about it in either case, they will have won a victory where their opponents had a good fighting chance.

THE NESMITH FUND

The city should restore the Nesmith fund and then appeal to the legislature for permission to turn it back to the trustees. Why should the municipality be forever burdened by any such responsibility? If we want to borrow money for charitable work, we can borrow an amount equal to the Nesmith fund at half the rate of interest. These bequests that have a string attached to them, should be rejected. They impose a responsibility that no city should assume. The Shedd park gift was of a very different kind. The Nesmith fund takes $1500 from the city annually without any visible return.

TRY 10 PER CENT.

If the New England mills that have declared a cut down of 20 per cent, would change the figures to 10 per cent, we venture to say that the strikers would accept and go back to work. Rather than prolong the ruinous struggle, why not settle it on this 50-50 compromise? We do not know how either side would meet such a proposition in this city; but we feel that it would be the easiest and best method of settlement for all concerned. When the new tariff law goes into effect, prices of textile fabrics will bound upward and then there will be a fight for an increase of wages. If the 20 per cent. cut is enforced now, the operatives would demand its restoration soon after the tariff law is put in operation. If there is sharp competition between the New England mills and those of the south, the latter have a great chance to forge ahead while their competitors are taking a long vacation.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

The open season for automobiles started last Sunday with a series of accidents that were quite alarming. It appears that for some reason or other we still have reckless drivers on public highways who disregard the common rules of the road and fail to take necessary precautions at street intersections or places in which the view ahead is obstructed. So much has been said in regard to the causes of automobile accidents that one might suppose the rules were all thoroughly understood by every driver. Nevertheless, it is very plain that if understood they are in a great many cases completely ignored, with the result that every holiday and every Sunday brings a new list of fatal accidents.

LAVISH RADIO FANS

Radio fans are spending $5,000,000 a week on wireless equipment, according to some manufacturers' sales estimates.

Here is a gigantic new industry, springing up faster even than the automobile and moving pictures in their early days.

Our ancestors, when they started shifting for themselves, had very few lines to choose from. Farming was the standby. Trades and professions were few.

Each year brings a greater number of big opportunities from which the young man can take his pick and the coming years are likely to be quite as prolific in such opportunities as any we have seen.

ONE GOOD SIGN

More than 1,000,000 shares of stock are sold in two hours on the New York stock exchange.

The wave of speculation is a gambling bet that the country is headed toward better business conditions.

It is a manifestation of the return of public courage, absolutely necessary for business revival.

In the last analysis, Woodrow Wilson was right when he said that the hard times of 1914 were largely psychological.

Fear is the regulator of general business. For that matter, of nearly everything else.

The Street Railway company says it will have to increase the fares or else curtail the service in this city in order to make the business pay. If it lowered fares on short routes, it would have more business and more profit. An increase of fares would cause the people to walk or else ride in jitneys. Why should the Street Railway make a poorer showing in Lowell than in Lawrence and other cities of like conditions?

Lowell will soon have two splendid new buildings of which it may well feel proud—the Memorial Auditorium and the new high school. They are both greatly needed, the school for the rising generation and the Auditorium as a public hall or series of halls in which all classes can enjoy instructive lectures, concerts and even dramatic performances. This will give our city a new and permanent source of culture and educational progress.

Governor Edwards of New Jersey, who has been an out and out opponent of prohibition, has announced himself as a candidate for the United States senate against Senator Frelinghuysen, the republican. We doubt whether he will succeed on an anti-Volstead platform even in a district in which he ran ahead as candidate for governor.

Officer Spillane, who with Officer Liston, captured the professional burglar on Thursday evening, deserves the highest commendation the department can offer. It was a fine piece of work and one that has placed in custody a most dangerous criminal.

Lloyd George's proposed peace pact of 34 nations, if realized, would leave the League of Nations without a cause d'etre. Still there cannot be too many "pacts" to prevent the nations from engaging in a titanic struggle of mutual destruction.

Apparently the manufacturers of moonshine stills are enjoying a great wave of prosperity.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

A superior court jury brought in a verdict for the defendant in the case of Krupski vs. the Boston & Maine. Mrs. Krupski sought to recover $5000 for live damages.

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SEEN AND HEARD

A stitch in time saves getting run over.

Only neighbor we think is out of debt is the one we owe.

We need ice men who know the difference between tomatoes on ice and ice on tomatoes.

Our rising generation is going to the dogs; but rising generations always have done that.

A man is not eligible for the hall of fame until 10 years after his death. That's another thing to worry the college seniors.

Preserving Health

"According to this authority, wearing clothes has undermined the health of South Sea Islanders, who thrived in Nature's garb." "Maybe so," said Mr. Grumpson. "If that's the case the South Sea Island dancers I've seen in cabarets ought to have robust constitutions."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Thought For Today

These clumsy feet, still in the mire
Go crushing blossoms without end;
These hard, well-meaning hands we thrust
Among the heart-strings of a friend.
Earth holds no balsam for mistakes:
Men crown the knave, and scourge the fool
That did his will; but Thou, O Lord,
Be merciful to me, a fool.

—EDWARD ROWLAND SILL.

A Word a Day

Today's word is vassal. It's pronounced—vass-al, with accent on the first syllable. It means a servant bondsman, subject, dependent. It comes from—"vassalus," page, servant. Companion words—vassalage, vassalism, vassalize. It's used like this—"American working men are independent; they do not wish to occupy the status of vassals."

Knew What She Wished

A downtown bookseller repeats this conversation between herself and a woman customer:

"Say, I want to get a book for my husband."

"What kind of a book?"

"Well, I hardly know."

"A book of travels?"

"No."

"A love story?"

"Nothing like that."

"A book of science?"

"No, nothing on science."

"A book of adventure?"

"No."

"You don't want fiction, then?"

"Yes, yes, that's it. I want a book on fiction."—Indianapolis News.

"Bless His Little Heart!"

Mother was much surprised when Jimmie came up to her and said:

"Mother, didn't you say last week that you wanted the carving knife and the chopper sharpened?"

"Yes, I did," admitted Mrs. Green. "Bless your little heart! How thoughtful you are!"

"Well, I'll take them 'round to the cutler's for you," was the next unexpected offer.

"How sweet of you to offer to do such a thing for your mother! I'll wrap them up," replied Mrs. Greene gratefully.

"No, no!" answered Jimmie quickly. "Don't wrap them up. I want them to show. There's a boy out there waiting to fight me, but I fancy that when he sees me coming with these he'll go home."—London Answers.

Temperatures Underground

It used to be thought that the temperature increased at a fairly regular rate with descent into the crust of the earth, but it appears that recent measurements in deep mines and borings do not bear out the assumption. Some investigators are now disposed to think that, instead of regularly increasing, the temperature is not far from stationary below the superficial zone. In the Witwatersand mines the average rate of increase, carried down to 5000 feet, is only one degree Fahrenheit for each 250 feet of descent. The bottom temperature is 102.25 degrees. Measurements in other places have given various results. In the Kalgoorlie mines, in Australia, practically no variation of temperature is shown between depths of 1400 and 2300 feet. The result of recent figures shows that there is no general law governing the increase of rock temperature with depth.—Washington Star.

She Was Too Busy

Here is a story which should be appreciated just now. It is credited indirectly to Pres. John J. Stanley of the Cleveland Railway company.

When the troops were coming home a former motorman called at the railway office to ask for his old job. He was a Canadian and had enlisted with a Dominion contingent. Wounded in France, he was invalided with others to London for a short leave. Arriving at Paddington station the men were served with refreshments and given unremitting attention by a group of Red Cross women.

Attracted by a girl in comely uniform who waited upon him, the young Canadian lingered, ostensibly for a second helping of rolls and coffee, but in reality to further a pleasant acquaintance.

Finally he made bold to ask the girl to go to the theatre with him.

"I cannot, thank you," she replied simply. "We are too busy here."

Still interested, the young soldier approached the staid matron in charge of the group and inquired the name of the attractive girl.

"The one over there?" she repeated as she looked in the direction he indicated. "Why, that," and there was awe as well as pride in her tone, "that is Princess Mary."

And in spite of his disabling wound the soldier hastily lost himself in the crowd.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mayflowers

Violets for the lovers,
Lilies for the old,
Pansies for the single folks,
Roses for the bold,
Hollyhocks for Englishmen,
Stiff beside a wall—
But the early dainty Mayflowers
I love the best of all.

Jonquils for a garden,
Tulips for its edge,
Climbing crimson ramblers
To reach the window-ledge,
Morning glories for the porch
When the dawn-winds call—
But Mayflowers in the early woods
I think are best of all.

H. W. MELVIN in The Boston Globe.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

It has been brought to my attention that merchants on Central street who are obliged to place boxes and barrels of refuse on the curb for collection, often take no precautions against wind and as a result before the ash collectors arrive the contents of whatever is put out are pretty well strewn over the sidewalk and street. As a rule the refuse is put out the night before and unless it is protected in some way loose stuff is easy prey for the night winds and the aspect the following morning is hardly pleasing. The men of the waste collection department are forced to spend time picking up whatever has been blown into the street. This is not only a useless waste but might be overcome by a little precaution on the part of those whose duty it is to place the containers on the curb.

Hundreds of Lowell householders sorrowfully gazed on empty coal bins Thursday night and Friday morning, while the thermometer did tricks not far from the freezing mark. It is disconcerting to find the supply absolutely exhausted just at a time when winter decides to favor us with one more dying gasp and on such an occurrence it is so easy to think back and remember days when we snapped our fingers at care and expense and tossed in another shovelful just for luck, when we could easily have gotten along without it. 'Twas always thus—in the days of plenty thoughts of the future come but seldom.

It was a disappointed crowd of anxious spectators who left the city council chamber at city hall Thursday night shortly after 9 o'clock when that august body adjourned without doing any of the things the on-lookers expected it to do. Nine out of every ten men who were present were there simply and solely to be amused, or, at least, to see some "action," and when it merely was routine city business that was transacted, chagrin and disappointment clearly was manifested. Perhaps the council is tiring of playing the role of performer, but we venture a guess that there will be standing-room only again next Tuesday night.

Not long ago we heard of a bet that in other years was an annual occurrence, and which now seems to have passed out of popularity. It was a wager on the length of time, or rather, on the date that the huge pile of snow in the lee of the Gage ice houses in Pawtucket street would disappear. Without doubt snow accumulations there withstand the rigors of spring and summer sun longer than in any other place in the city and maybe others continue the wager custom which friends of mine used to make an annual event. If we remember correctly the loser provided the dinner in the old days.

Speaking of the Gage Co., I understand that its business at the pond in South Chelmsford has grown to such an extent that this summer lodging houses in tenement type will be erected there for employes. It has been found that it is not easy to get men to make the trip to the village daily and the company feels that housing facilities will solve the problem.

Have we spoken before of the need of a white stop pole in Appleton street opposite Eliot street? If so, pardon the repetition, but inasmuch as no such stop has been placed there, we venture to suggest it again. There is a pole stop there for outward bound cars and it is used by many people, but an inbound stop also would be used to a great extent, for invariably on many trips during the day, Westford and Chelmsford street cars leave passengers at South street who would get off at Eliot street if it were possible. Then again, it would be much appreciated by the Presbyterian church on Sundays.

How do you like the new white crossing lines downtown? It is a metropolitan idea that is rapidly being carried out in cities not quite in that class, but that have vexing traffic problems to solve. There are persons, of course, who will refuse to use the crossing lines simply because they are there, feeling that their rights as American citizens are being abridged, in fact we overheard one man make just such a statement. But, on the whole they seem to be appreciated and there is no doubt but that they will prove a great benefit and help.

Remarks by Charles S. O'Connor of the Boston school committee at the Knights of Columbus' Patriots day observance, relative to the naming of squares in honor of dead soldiers of the late war, must have carried a great deal of significance to the Lowell men present. Mr. O'Connor remarked that some better way of honoring the heroic dead should be found than by naming squares in their honor, for the sign post bearing the name is certain to fall in time and with its fall dies the memory of the hero whose name it bore. In Lowell, through the efforts of the legion and various patriotic individuals, several squares have been designated to commemorate the services of the city's dead soldiers, and there is little doubt that great numbers of our citizens are in perfect accord with Mr. O'Connor's views. Even now, but a short time after the naming of a number of squares in this manner, it is believed that few citizens ever think of calling them by their new names.

Police Officer Paul M Spillane is receiving the congratulations of his comrades and superior officers on his excellent work in capturing, with the assistance of Officer Liston, the burglar who created such havoc in downtown buildings Thursday night. Officers and men feel that if the marauder had been allowed to escape the department would have had to bear the brunt of a great deal of criticism, and Paul Spillane's capture has fended off such a distasteful situation. Officer Spillane, although still a superi nenary, is considered one of the finest members of the force, and on one other occasion at least has won favorable notice. This incident occurred when a man who was trying to pass a worthless bill in a store on South street became frightened and took to his heels. The man was followed by a small boy who attracted Officer Spillane's attention on reaching Tilden street, and the man was put under arrest by the officer after considerable difficulty. The young officer is a former member of Co. M of the Old Ninth regiment, and saw service on the Mexican border and in France, being wounded and decorated for bravery in action in the latter campaign.

After Using It Twenty Years

Mr. Fred N. Henderson of Orono, Maine, writes, "I consider the Tonic, "L.F." Atwood Medicine, the best remedy for headaches, loss of appetite, dyspepsia, and as a cathartic. You may use my name in praising it." Many others have found it a faithful friend, always dependable and helpful.

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FUN ON THE WHITE HOUSE LAWN

Jimmy and Mary O'Malley getting set to roll their Easter eggs on the White House lawn. It was some fun!

Intrepid Postman Rescued at Sea

SYDNEY, N. S., April 22.—Daniel R. McNeil, intrepid postman who braved ice floes in his motorboat to deliver mail along the coast when the roads became impassible and was blown to sea Wednesday and given up for lost, has been rescued by a searching party. News of his safety was received today.

N. Y. Cotton Exchange in New Quarters

NEW YORK, April 22.—The New York cotton exchange was closed today while scores of workmen moved its records and equipment to temporary quarters at 90 Wall street. The present building at 6 Beaver street, will be torn down and replaced by a 22-story building the 17th floor of which will be devoted to cotton trading.

U. S. Ambassador Received at Berlin

BERLIN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Alanson B. Houghton, the new American ambassador to Germany, presented his credentials today to President Ebert, who received him in the presence of Dr. Hanie von Haimhausen, under secretary for the foreign office. Councillor von Guelich of the German foreign office, also was present. Ambassador Houghton was accompanied by the embassy staff. The ceremonies lasted less than 15 minutes.

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Love Made Me, Says Wife, Explaining 350 Burglaries

MRS. GERTRUDE HARTUNG AND HER HUSBAND, PAUL

By ROY GIBBONS

CHICAGO, April 21.—A man and wife, she pushing a baby cab in which smiled a bouncing baby boy, for weeks were familiar figures to residents of Chicago's aristocratic North Side.

Then their daily promenades stopped.

Police had arrested them on a charge of having committed more than 350 burglaries, with loot totaling more than $100,000.

They charged this loot was removed beneath the robes of the perambulator, alongside the smiling infant, and that the wife was the acomplice, acting as lookout with the baby cab as a shield while her husband pillaged homes.

Bail Is High

The man, who said he was Paul Hartung, a painter, is held in $25,000 bail. His wife, Gertrude, has been temporarily released as she expects soon to become a mother again.

Officials in charge of the case say both have confessed. And Mrs. Hartung discussed the case freely.

"Paul couldn't get a job and we were hungry," she says. "At first he stole only food from ice boxes. I tried to dissuade him, but finally I went along and helped.

"There was nothing left but starvation. If Paul loved me enough to steal so that I and the baby might live, I cannot see sow I did wrong by aiding him in what appeared to be our only chance to live.

Done For Love

"I did it because I loved him. Nothing else matters."

"I am not a thief at heart," says the husband. "There was no work, and I couldn't let my family suffer."

Arrest of the couple came when police said they found Mrs. Harting pawning stolen goods.

For months the mysterious thefts kept Chicago's "Gold Coast" on edge. Because the burglaries always were committed in the afternoon, the "Coast" gave those responsible the name "matinee burglars."

ARRESTS INCREASE 50 P. C. SINCE DRY LAW

NEW YORK, April 22.—Arrests have increased nearly 50 per cent since prohibition went into effect, according to statistics made public at police headquarters here.

Arrests numbered 187,613 in 1917. They had increased to 272,751 in 1921, the greatest number of arrests on record. According to these figures, about one person in every 25 in New York city was arrested in 1921, or one arrest for every five average families. According to the charge of the Citizens' union, the regular policy had been adopted under the Enright administration of making arrests for every offence, regardless of whether the prisoner was the right man or the wrong man. This organization asserted that, in spite of the increased arrests, convictions for murder, robberies and other major crimes had fallen to a low level during Commissioner Enright's term.

Increase in Drunken Policemen

One of the curiosities of the figures made public yesterday is that, although arrests for drunkenness have fallen off under prohibition as far as the general public is concerned, the number of policemen tried on charges of being intoxicated has increased considerably.

During the present year, since the police have been charged with the enforcement of the state dry law, the number of policemen up for trial on charges of being intoxicated reached the total of 31, the highest on several years. At the same time complaint of the loss of evidence after liquor raids have been frequent.

The fewest charges of intoxication against policemen occurred in 1917, when only 13 were on trial for this offence. The increase has been as follows.

In 1918, 15 charged with drunkenness; in 1919, 15; in 1920, 24; in 1921, 31.

The decrease in arrests for drunkenness among the general public from year to year is shown as follows: In 1916, 19,453 arrests; 1917, 16,311; 1918, 8796; 1919, 7028; 1920, 7804; 1921, 8169.

Arrests for crimes of all sorts from 1915 to 1921 are shown as follows: In 1915, 213,452; 1916, 200,901; 1917, 187,613; 1918, 170,159; 1919, 220,249; 1920, 266,749; 1921, 272,751.

To check the increase in intoxication among policemen, three policemen convicted of this offence were dismissed from the force last week. Lighter penalties had been previously inflicted. According to the reports of the welfare commissioner and Dr. M. S. Gregory of Bellevue hospital, the average case of intoxication has been far more serious than was formerly the case, because of the drinking of raw liquor and the use of various poisons as liquor. Deaths from alcoholism have increased 50 per cent 1921 over 1920, according to insurance statistics recently made public.

CHILDREN'S OFFERINGS AT CATHEDRAL

On Saturday, April 29, two children from each of the Episcopal churches in the city will go to Boston to attend the annual presentation of Children's Offerings at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

The morning service will begin at 11 o'clock and will be for the older delegates from the church schools of the diocese of Massachusetts, who will make reports of the work accomplished during the year, and plan for the coming year. At 12 o'clock there will be a service of thanksgiving and devotion. At 12.15 the exposition of the work done by the church school service league of the various schools in the diocese will be opened.

The afternoon service will begin at 2 o'clock. There will be a half-hour musical service, when children from the church school choirs of Greater Boston will lead the singing. These are not the boy choirs of the various churches, but the children who form the church school choirs and lead their school singing every Sunday. About 60 boys and girls will form this choir.

At 2.30 the service of greatest interest to the children will begin. At this service the little delegates will take the money gathered in their schools during Lent and as the name of their school is called carry it to the chancel steps where Dr. Arthur K. Gardiner, diocesan treasurer, will receive it.

To bring a vivid picture before the children of what their money is going to do a real live missionary, Rev. Francis J. M. Cotter, will tell stories of what he knows about children in China, a thousand miles up the Yangtse river.

Mr. Cotter's post of duty is Wuchang, where, for the past seven years he has been in charge of St. Andrew's church. There are two Wuchangs—one a sleepy old city of ancient China, where all the quaint customs and methods of 2000 years ago prevail; and the other a wide-awake, industrial Wuchang, bearing all the aspects of any one of the hundred twentieth century cities of America.

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Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until 11 a. m., Monday, April 24, 1922, on the following material:

Req. 1660, Fire Department
153 bushels of oats, to be delivered as directed.

Req. 1668, Health Yard
10 tons loose hay, No. 1.

Req. 1669, Chelmsford St. Hospital.
20 barrels sugar.

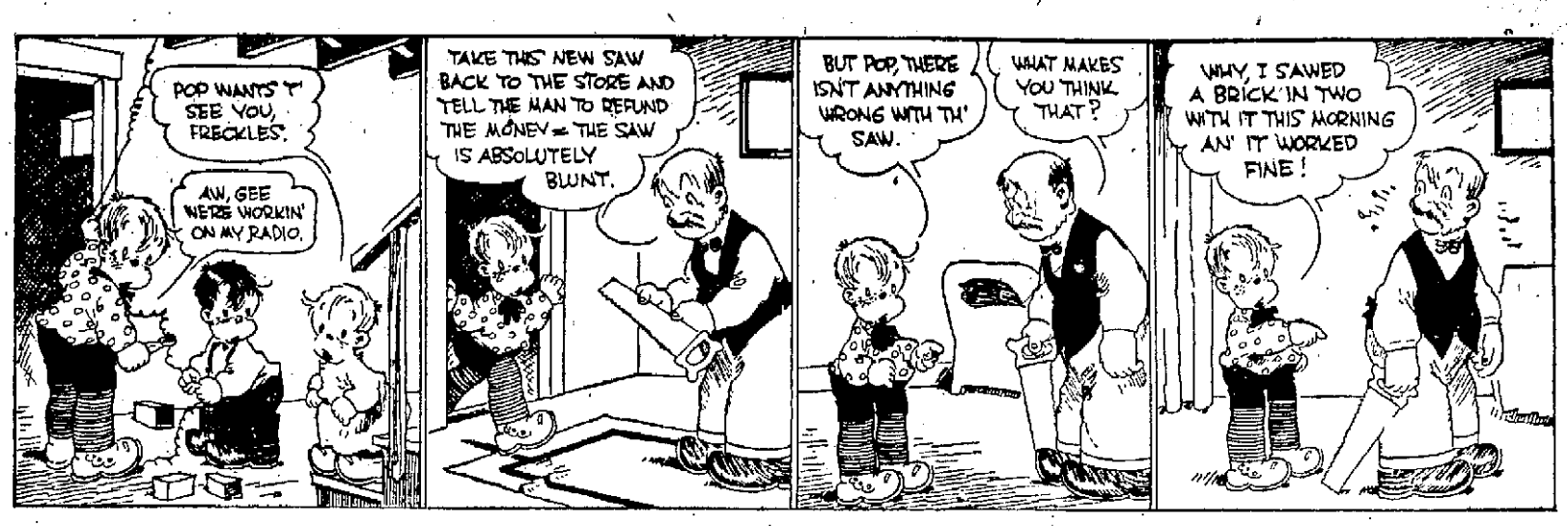
Req. 1637, Chelmsford St. Hospital
15 chests tea,
100 bushels potatoes,
1000 lbs. butterine,
20 bags rice.

The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD H. FOYE
Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., April 21, 1922.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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Men's Top Coats
Plain or belted models, in tweeds or fine thibets.
$20.00 to $30.00

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"Two-in-one" style; may be worn rain or shine. Double breasted, belt all around, raglan shoulders.
$18.50 $22.50 $25 $30

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Men's Silk Hose, seamed back, in black, cordovan and fancy stripes **$1.00**

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, Tripletoe, in black and colors ..... **50¢**

Men's Fine Cotton Hose, in black, cordovan and grey ..... **15¢ and 25¢**

Men's Spring Weight Fine Cotton Union Suits, short sleeves, regular and three-quarter length, **$1.75**

Men's Grey Cotton Union Suits, fine ribbed suits, short sleeves, ankle length **$1.15**

Men's Good Quality Muslin Night Shirts, cut full and long **$1.15**

Men's Silk Shirts, in heavy fiber tub or broadcloth silk. A good selection of patterns in demand for spring wear, well made with soft turn-back cuffs **$4.95**

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Men's Shirts, madras, corded madras and silk stripes, **$2.00 and $3.00**

Silk Ties, four-in-hand style, straight or wide end; also knit ties in stripes, cross-bars and heather mixtures, in all the spring shades, **50¢, 95¢**

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INCREASE IN WAGES GREATER THAN INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING

Committee on Local Industrial Increase in Cost of Living Survey Submits Interesting Report to Lowell Contractors' Association---Building Trades Union Refuse to Accept Voluntary Wage Reduction as Suggested by the Contractors

Feeling that the increase in wages in the building line in this city was far greater than the increase in the cost of living and that the members of the different building crafts should voluntarily agree to a reduction in wages in order to stimulate business, the Lowell Contractors' association has had prepared under its direction a list of prices for foodstuffs and other necessities of life as well as prices on building materials and wages in the building line, showing a comparison between prices in 1913 and prices in effect Feb. 14 of this year.

Work on the gathering of data necessary to complete the list of comparisons was started Jan. 5 and was not completed until a few days ago. It was an impartial report that the association was after and it got it, for on the committee were representatives of the citizens at large, representatives of labor and members of the executive board of the Lowell Contractors' association. These people worked incessantly at their task and to them the association is very grateful.

The report of the committee, which was given the name of committee on industrial survey of the city Lowell, was filed with the association at its last meeting and when it was found that the average increases in wages were greater than the increases in the cost of living, a suggestion was made to the various building crafts that they agree to a voluntary reduction in wages, as such action would tend to stimulate business in their line and would probably result in giving them full-time employment. The matter was discussed at meetings of the various crafts, and according to reports made at the Lowell Contractors' association meeting held yesterday afternoon, the suggestion was not received with favor.

The report of the survey committee was read at the meeting and then referred to the executive board, which later voted to give it to the press for publication without any comment whatever.

The committee that made the survey consisted of the following:

The following, who were members of the committee, were responsible for the gathering of cost prices on the various articles mentioned in the report: W. A. Mitchell, Perley Gilbert, J. W. Robinson, William H. Lyons and James E. Curry, the two latter representing labor organizations.

Citizens committee: Rev. Appleton Grannis, Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, William A. Mitchell, Charles P. Conant, George M. Harrigan, Perley F. Gilbert, Herford N. Elliott.

Representatives of labor unions: Harry Costello, Bricklayers; William Cassidy, Building Laborers; C. W. Dickey, Carpenter District Council; Albert Gibbons, Electricians; William Lyons, Painters; John Dillon, Plasterers; Thomas Judge, Plumbers; James Curry, Steam Fitters; Telesphore Leblanc, Sheet Metal; Edward Latour, Lathers.

Members of the executive board of the Lowell Contractors' association: John W. Robinson, president; George A. Stewart, secretary; Daniel F. Carroll, John Dwyer, Lucius A. Derby, John J. O'Connor.

The report shows that the average rise in the cost of meats on Feb. 14 over prices prevailing in 1913 was 36.2 per cent, while on groceries, exclusive of canned fish, canned milk, cornmeal and bread, the average increase was 42.2 per cent. On the last named articles the average increase was 22.3 per cent.

In getting up their report the members of the committee also made an investigation of prices of meats in other cities and they figured out that in Springfield the prices averaged 25 per cent higher than in this city, while in other cities the average percentage in prices higher than in Lowell was 10.

According to the report the price of shoes increased 10 per cent for the best grades and 50 per cent for the medium grades, while the cost of suits went up 71 per cent.

In building materials, including paints, varnish, enamel, shellac, lead, oil, turpentine, nails base, inside door sets, brick, cement, lime, lumber and various hardwares, the average cost has also increased 60 per cent to 200 per cent.

The increases in wages for the various crafts as submitted by the committee are as follows: Masons, 100 per cent; carpenters, 100 per cent; painters, 146 per cent cent; plumbers, 125 per cent; steamfitters, 125 per cent; sheet metal, 128 per cent; electricians, 138 per cent; laborers, 60 per cent, and mason tenders, 86 per cent. It will be seen by the report that the painters have received the largest increase, and the laborers, the smallest.

COX QUERIES HULTMAN

Asks for Names of Persons Who Had Threatened to Abolish His Position

BOSTON, April 21.—Gov. Cox announced today that he had asked Eugene C. Hultman, chairman of the commission on necessaries of life, to name the persons who had threatened his position as a result of his activities against persons who had been charging excessively for commodities.

At a recent hearing on a bill to extend the life of the commission, Mr. Hultman said he had been threatened after his criticisms of the price of turkeys last Thanksgiving and that a movement was under way to abolish his position.

Gov. Cox said he had heard nothing of the threats.

The commission will go out of existence on May 1, unless its continuance is authorized by legislation.

HELD UP AT GUN POINT

WORCESTER, April 21.—Held up at the point of a revolver and forced to turn over the contents of the cash register, Harold Greenslit, manager of a chain store in this city, was ordered into a small ice box in the rear of the store where he was imprisoned today while the robber made his escape. Greenslit was released about 15 minutes later by a customer. The cash register contained about $30.

WILL HONOR REV. AND MRS. MATTHEWS

The anniversary of the 25th pastorate of Rev. and Mrs. N. W. Matthews will take place on next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The people of the church through the anniversary committee are endeavoring to make the affair a great success.

Tuesday will be observed as "home" night and people connected with the church will have an opportunity to show their appreciation of the excellent services which have been rendered by their pastor and his wife. A program of addresses and musical numbers has been arranged.

Wednesday is called "Welcome" night and the many friends of Mr. Matthews throughout the city, are earnestly invited to attend. There will be addresses by clergymen and the mayor of the city, together with special music.

Reception will be held each evening from 6.30 to 7.15. An orchestra will be in attendance.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21. (American) Boston-Philadelphia game postponed, cold weather.

50 Injured, Some Fatally by Explosion

LOS ANGELES, April 21.—Probably 50 persons were injured, a number of them fatally, when an oil station caught fire at Downey, today, and the fire reached underground storage tanks, causing them to explode. Downey is a small town about 15 miles southeast of Los Angeles, and its fire and police facilities were so small that it was necessary to call on the sheriff here to take charge of the policing. Ambulances were sent from the city immediately.

35-Foot Depth for Cape Cod Canal

WASHINGTON, April 21.—A 35-foot depth for the Cape Cod canal, so as to accommodate larger merchant ships, was advocated by H. L. Colbeth, general manager of the property, before the house commerce committee today at hearings on the Winslow bill for government purchase of the Massachusetts waterway. Secretary Denby in urging recently a 40-foot depth which would permit passage of battleships declared the loss of one vessel of that type would be greater than the cost of the improvement suggested by him.

To Support Dry Candidates for Office

LAWRENCE, April 21.—Resolutions in favor of a more strict enforcement of the Volstead act and in favor of supporting political candidates who will do their share in upholding the spirit and letter of the act, were adopted by a rising vote at the 13th annual meeting of the Laymen's Association of the New Hampshire conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here today. Officers were elected as follows: President, Dr. G. E. Hoffes of Manchester; vice president for northern district, John Bishop of Concord; vice president for southern district, F. K. Wentworth of Somersworth; secretary, H. B. Sanborn of Goffstown.

Urges Blockade of Mexico Until U. S. Claims Have Been Compensated

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Blockade of Mexico and seizure of Mexican ports until American claims for damages to life and property in Mexico have been compensated, was advocated in the senate today by Senator King, democrat, Utah, in a lengthy address on the Mexican situation. Neither the Obregon nor any other Mexican government should be recognized, Senator King declared until guarantees are given for payment of damages "for nearly 1000 American men, women and children butchered and murdered" and for property losses which he estimated at nearly $500,000,000. Senator King said he was inspired to make his address because of the murder and eviction from Mexico of Mormon settlers, who, he said, had failed to get protection from their own government.

Gov. Cox Has Plan to End Strike

LAWRENCE, April 21.—Ex-Mayor William P. White announced today that he conferred yesterday with Gov. Cox in the state house regarding a possible way of settling the local textile strike. He said the governor had been considering the same plan and that unless the strike ends very soon it may be put into effect. He declined to say what the plan was.

New Economic Treaty Concluded

MOSCOW, April 20.—(By the Associated Press)—A new economic treaty has been concluded between soviet Russia and the Far Eastern republic of Siberia, the Chita government, it is learned today. The treaty gives Russia preferred rights to all concessions in the Far Eastern republic and in general accords Russia a great degree of economic control in Far Eastern territory.

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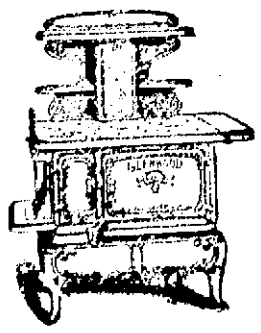

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Fancy Texas Onions .....2 lbs. 25¢
Heavy Spinach, pk. ..... 29¢
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BLUE VELVET BAG lost in the vicinity of Davis sq. Reward if returned to 970 Central st.

SMALL POCKETBOOK lost between Chalifoux's and Wethern's Saturday afternoon containing silver rosary and sum of money, return to 14 Newhall st. Reward.

GOLD BAR PIN set with pearls and blue sapphire and silver thimble lost on Lawrence st near Rogers. Tuesday morning. Tel. 5446-M, 14 Campus ave.

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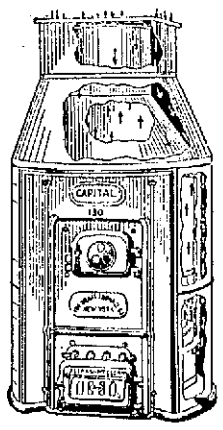

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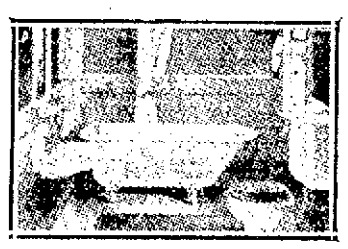

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Under the law as it exists today, druggists applying for licenses of the third class are required to advertise their application ten days before the license may be granted. Also, they are required to file a bond and keep books to show each sale of liquor made. Under the new bill the requirements are more lenient.

O'CONNELL BOARD TO MEET

A meeting of the O'Connell District Board A.A.R.I.R., has been called by President Barrett for A.O.H. hall tomorrow evening to settle up the St. Patrick's day convention funds and elect delegates to the state convention. It is probable that the question of sending funds to President De Valera will also be brought up.

WELCOME HOME PARTY

A very pleasant gathering was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Rourke, 431 Lakeview avenue to welcome home Miss Lillian Donelly who has just returned from Chicago where she has spent the last four months. In the course of the evening she was the recipient of a silk umbrella, the presentation being made by Mary E. Heath. The entertainment of the evening was carried on by Catherine Callery and Mae Ashe who rendered solos, Margaret Tarpey, who afforded violin selections and a solo dance by Helen Cox, Anna Callery was the accompanist of the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Office of the Purchasing Agent

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until 11 a. m., Wednesday, April 26, 1922, on the following:

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Hose 12—Same change to be made as above: To have 2—36x6" pneumatic tires and tubes front, 2—38x7" pneumatic tires and tubes rear. Including all steel equipment less extra rim.

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All pneumatic tires to be of the flat tread type, mounted and applied to truck.

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Hose 12 must have new wheels. To be Firestone rims.

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5.20	6.40	2.30	3.18
6.23	7.28	6.00	7.08
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10.05	11.05	4.15	5.15
11.17	12.00	2.50	3.41
12.07	1.01	4.00	4.42
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.24
2.45	3.43	5.00	5.42
b3.30	4.12	b5.21	6.42
4.00	4.50	5.35	6.55
4.12	5.25	5.50	7.11
5.30	6.40	6.14	7.22
b6.05	7.28	8.00	8.41
7.38	8.20	8.50	9.11
8.49	9.30	10.30	11.40
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7.12	8.25	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.30	6.55	8.15
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12.07	1.20	3.29	4.42
8.40	4.46	5.10	6.46
5.26	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		
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6.44	7.30	8.45	9.56
7.05	7.56	10.00	10.39
8.30	9.40	11.00	11.39
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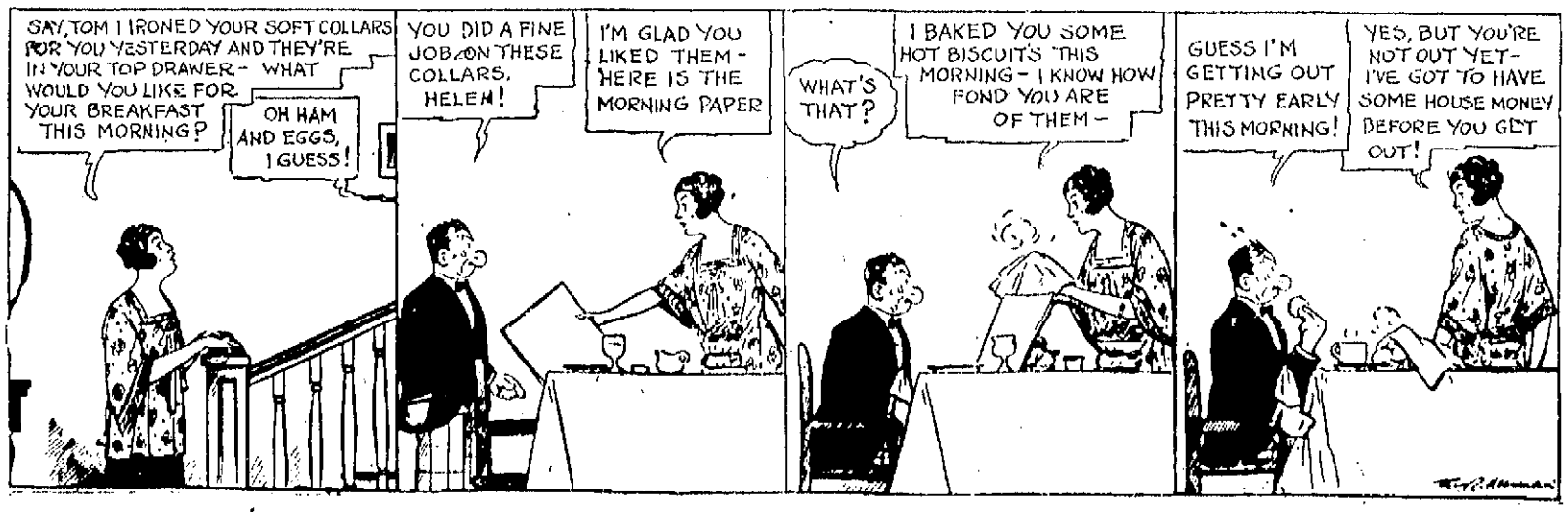
THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



DIVER WINS IN BATTLE FOR LIFE

Attacked by Giant Devil Fish 50 Feet Beneath the Surface

Drawn to Surface With Man and Monster Still Struggling Desperately

TACOMA, Wash., April 22.—Battling for his life 50 feet beneath the surface of Puget Sound, Walter McCray, a diver, known in marine circles from Alaska to California, came out victorious here yesterday over a giant devil fish.

The monster wound its tentacles so tightly about McCray that the diver was unable to reach the knife he carries for protection. When one tentacle threatened to cut off the air supply, McCray, through the submarine telephone, called for a short steel wrecking bar. With this weapon he was able to pierce the body of the devil fish and at last, with man and monster still struggling desperately, McCray was drawn to the surface by his assistant and other men called to help.

While Richard Burnett, a deck watchman, stood by with drawn pistols, unable to shoot because the diver and devil fish were so completely tangled others attacked with what weapons there were at hand and finally the devil fish released its hold and disappeared beneath the water.

The devil fish was one of the largest ever seen in those waters and was the first, McCray said, that ever attacked him.

McCray, who suffered chiefly from exhaustion, was to resume diving today.

LOWELL MEN WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE

The monthly meeting of the New England conference board of the United Textile Workers of America which is composed of textile delegates from Lowell, Lawrence, Manchester, N. H., and Maynard, will be held tomorrow afternoon in Maynard and the topic of discussion at the meeting will be the textile strikers now in vogue in various parts of New England.

The Lowell men who will attend the meeting are John Hanley, Louis Shea and Alfred Angus, president, vice president and secretary respectively of the Lowell Textile council; Mrs. Annie Reagan of the Cotton Weavers', Walter Roche of the Beamers', Dana B. Hart of the Slasher Tenders', Joseph E. Jenery of the Loomfixers', Walter McLaughlin of the Fedders', Austin Kennedy of the Woolen Spinners', Alfred Labelle of the Ring Spinner Fixers', M. Holden of the Woolen Weavers' and Frank Balaska of the Polish Textile Workers.

THE LEAGUE OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Departing radically from the usual program of speaking and musical entertainment, the League of Catholic Women, at its meeting in Associate hall tomorrow afternoon will feature a musical program almost exclusively, the only additional feature being a little one-act sketch.

Boston artists of widely acknowledged talent are to be presented in a musicale. The soloists are to be Miss Mary Casey, soprano; Mrs. James A. Murphy, the only Lowell participant, soprano; Mrs. John McGillvery, contralto, and Mr. Edward Downey, tenor. Mr. Walter Mayo, concert master at Boston college, a violinist of note, will be a participant in the program.

As an additional feature a one-act sketch, "The Old Woman and the New Woman," or "1776 and 1922," will be given by Misses Downey and Kirby. The sketch will be in the nature of a satire on fashions, present and past.

LOWELL WOMEN AT BOSTON WHIST PARTY

The Lowell League of Catholic Women was represented by about 35 officers and members at a large whist party in the ball room of the Copley-Plaza hotel yesterday. The party is an annual event on the calendar of the Boston league, and is attended by many members of other leagues throughout the state.

Yesterday's affair was one of the largest ever conducted. About 1700 ladies were present and over 1400 took part in the whist. A great many who desired admission were unable to procure tickets, as the spacious room was filled to capacity.

Officers of the local league who attended are President Mrs. J. T. Donohue, Miss Alice Lee and Mrs. Alice Saunders.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. James Lowe and Miss Lillian McCann were married April 19 at St. Margaret's rectory, the ceremony being performed by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Gallagan. The bride wore white satin with over-lace and veil and carried bridal roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss M. Donnelly, who was attired with blue crepe de chine with picture hat to match and carried pink roses. The best man was Mr. David Mahoney, a brother-in-law of the bride. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. David Mahoney. After an extended honeymoon trip the couple will make their home in Toronto, Ont.

FROM THE CONVENT OF THE SACRED HEART

Sister Superior Endorses Merit of Father John's Medicine for Children

Writing from the Sacred Heart Convent at Newport, Vt., the Sister Superior in charge says: "We have been a large boarding school and as soon as we see a child without appetite or not feeling well we have him take Father John's Medicine. I think it is the best remedy for children." (Signed) Sister Mary Alexandrine, Superior Sacred Heart Convent.

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PLANTATIONS FLOODED

Levee on West Bank of Mississippi, South of New Orleans, Broke Today

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—A levee on the west bank of the Mississippi river at Myrtle Grove, about 30 miles south of New Orleans, broke today and neighboring plantations were flooded. About 60 feet of the embankment went out and government barges with men and materials were sent from here to the scene of the break.

The section being inundated contains many important sugar plantations and orange groves.

The river at New Orleans early today showed a rise of three-tenths of a foot, bringing the stage to 22.4 feet, four-tenths of a foot higher than the record established in 1912.

LITTLE CHANGE IN COAL MINERS' STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 22.—With the coal strike closing its third week of idleness for more than 600,000 miners, a survey of some of the fields shows an accumulation of loaded cars on siding with the market dull.

Trade reports here show practically no demand for industrial or domestic coal except for use in steel plants from the West Virginia and Kentucky fields.

In a report yesterday by Secretary of Labor Davis to Atty. Gen. Daugherty, only slight increases in coal prices were noted.

Trade estimates indicated that there is on hand about 50,000,000 tons of the 63,000,000 on hand when the strike started, with reports indicating that about 10,000,000 tons have been produced in the last three weeks in non-union fields. In the anthracite district, not a ton has been mined.

Weekly coal consumption is estimated at 7,000,000 tons.

DEATHS

JEWETT—Mrs. Mary Jewett, wife of Fred Jewett, formerly of this city but now of Holyoke, Mass., passed away early this morning at the home of her son, Walter Jewett, Billerica road, Chelmsford Centre, at the age of 62 years. She is survived by her husband, of Holyoke; two sons, Walter of Chelmsford Centre and Harold Jewett of this city; two sisters, living in England; also by four grandchildren. Mrs. Jewett was a member of the Holyoke Baptist church. Funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

WILDE—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilde took place from her home, 1150 Gorham street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Henry Quimby, rector of St. John's Episcopal church. The bearers were Harold Wilde, Raymond Wilde, Frederick Dawson, William Buckley, John Brown and George Mitchell. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of George A. Miller, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BURKE—The funeral of Miss Annie C. Burke took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 430 Central street. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Francis Shea. The choir under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne and Mr. Donnelly, Miss Gertrude Quigley presiding at the organ. The bearers were Dr. T. R. Smith, Dr. W. H. Burke of Cambridge, Clarence Smith of Hartford, Joseph Dunphy of Everett, John O'Brien of Lowell and John Curry of Stoughton. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Shea. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

DRONEY—The funeral of Michael Droney took place this morning from his late home 435 Lincoln street, at eight o'clock, and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where, at 9 o'clock, a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, sang the Gregorian chant. Mr. Kelly presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify the high esteem in which deceased was held, as well as many spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Michael Cullinene, Richard Coggin, John Murphy, Thomas Casey, John McInerney and Michael Hynes. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FARRINGTON—In this city, April 21, Mrs. Mary Farrington, widow of Andrew Farrington. Funeral Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 182 Perry street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COULOMBE—The funeral of Mrs. Sophie (Larocque) Coulombe, wife of Charles Coulombe, will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 62 Farmland road. A solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

CARMEN AND TRUSTEES SIGN WAGE CONTRACT

BOSTON, April 22.—By mutual consent of the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company and the Bay State Carmen's union, composed of the road's employes, the wage and working agreement in force, founded upon an award of the state board of arbitration and conciliation in 1921 and which would have expired May 1, is extended for another year.

There are about 2000 motormen, conductors and other employes affected by this decision, which was reached at a conference between company officials and a sub-committee of the union's joint conference board yesterday afternoon. The basic wages of the railway's car operators are 49 cents an hour for the first three months' service; 52 cents for the next nine months and 54½ cents thereafter; with five cents an hour additional or a maximum of 59½ cents an hour for one-man car operation. As more than 95 per cent of the cars are one-man type, nearly all operators receive the maximum of 59½ cents an hour.

Several weeks ago officers of the union came to the trustees and asked if they would extend the present agreement. Chairman Homer Loring told them that if they went back to the local unions and got them to ask for it he would put it up to the trustees.

A referendum vote was taken by the membership of the Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Salem, Lynn, Chelsea, Quincy, Brockton, Taunton, Fall River and Norwood-Hyde Park local unions of the Bay State system which resulted in the authorizing of their joint conference board to request the public trustees to continue the agreement.

SUN BREVITIES

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Open and closed commercial bodies for Ford chasis, two carloads just received at C. H. Hanson & Co.'s Rock st.

There were two telephone alarms for brush fires today, one at 10.50 in Wentworth avenue and the other at 12.33 in Featherstone avenue.

The scholarship in Boston university, voted annually by the faculty of the Lowell Normal school to a member of the graduating class, has been awarded to Miss Marjorie Pratt of this city.

Rev. James Bancroft, former rector of St. John's Episcopal church of this city, soon is to assume charge of the parish at Wood's Hole. Rev. Mr. Bancroft resigned his local pastorate about two years ago because of poor health and since that time has been living in Concord, Mass.

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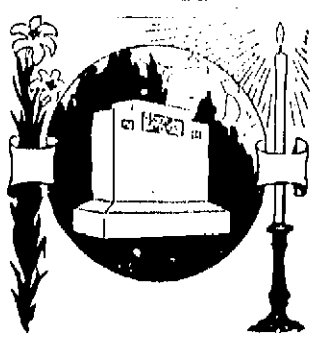

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GILROY RELEASED AS "HONEST ROBBER"

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—John M. Gilroy was released today as an "honest robber."

Gilroy told the jury he had been out of work, his wife ill and his children hungry. He needed $6, so he took his revolver and held up the soft drink establishment of William Moorman, taking the $6 from the till. He found work next day and out of his first pay he paid Moorman the $6, then surrendered to the police.

The jury took a standing vote of acquittal.

KING OF ITALY VISITS GENOA

First Visit Since War an Occasion for Great Demonstration of Loyalty

Russian Soviet Minister Shocks Socialists and Communists by Meeting King

GENOA, April 22. (By the Associated Press.)—George Chitcherin, the Russian soviet foreign minister, gave the Italian socialists and communists a shock today, by meeting King Victor Emmanuel on the king's visit here, and accepting His Majesty's invitation to a luncheon on board the Italian dreadnought Conte di Cavour.

It was the first visit the king had made to Genoa since the war and his arrival was the occasion for a great demonstration of loyalty. The route from the dreadnought to the prefecture and the town hall was so crowded with cheering throngs that traffic was practically at a standstill.

One of the first acts of the king after his arrival was to congratulate Foreign Minister Schanzer on the work he had done to prevent what at one time appeared an impending break-up of the conference.

"It would have been a calamity," said the king, "if the conference had failed while in its initial stage, as the peoples of the world look to Genoa as the starting point of a new era of brotherhood and prosperity."

The weather which, during the past week, had been inclement, giving rise to joking questions by many delegates whether this was sunny Italy, cleared up for the arrival of His Majesty.

DECREASE SHOWN IN DEATH RATE

The city death rate fluctuated again this week, showing a decrease of 10 deaths from last week's high mark. Thirty deaths were reported to the board of health this week, against 40 last week and 19 in the week previous. Infant mortality this week also showed a decrease, there being eight deaths under one year, against 11 last week. Deaths under five years this week numbered eight, against 16 last week.

Infectious diseases reported were scarlet fever two, measles two and tuberculosis three.

30,000 AT TOKIO BALL GAME

TOKIO, April 22. (By Associated Press.) A crowd of 30,000 persons witnessed the first game played by the Indiana university baseball team which came to Japan on the invitation of the Waseda university team of Tokio for a series of 12 games. The visitors lost the opening contest 4 to 0.

SPY BADLY BEATEN UP BY STRIKERS

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 22.—Another spy was detected at a textile strikers' meeting today and he was badly battered and bruised before Organizer Thomas went to his assistance.

I escorted him from the building. Even then he did not escape as a crowd of strikers pursued and beat him before he finally got refuge. The strikers claimed that he was a worker at the Jenckes Spinning Co.'s plant and when they discovered him they locked the main doors and punched and kicked him. He got out by a side door and locked himself in another room. The strikers were bent on battering it in when Organizer Thomas came to the man's assistance.

ALLEN GUEST OF DOWN TOWN MEN'S CLUB

In connection with the appearance of Attorney General J. Weston Allen in Lowell next Tuesday evening as the guest of the Lowell Rotary club, the Down Town Men's club also will entertain him at an open house to be held at the First Congregational church at 8.15 o'clock and to which Lowell men are invited. The attorney general addresses the Rotarians after a dinner to be served at 6.15 o'clock at the Vesper Country club.

INCREASE IN COTTON EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Cotton exports increased during March as compared with the same month last year, aggregating 461,000 bales valued at $43,000,000, compared with 375,000 bales worth $27,000,0 a year ago, the department of commerce announced today.

TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS REMOVED

Local motorists may be interested to learn that the state of New Hampshire's highway commission has removed traffic restrictions on the following roads in that state: From Rockingham road, Derry, to Manchester; the Hudson to Derry road; and the state roads in Bow, Auburn, Pelham, Sandown, Danville, Plaistow, Salem, Hudson, Windham, Londonderry, Litchfield, Hooksett, Allenstown, Pembroke, Mason, Brookline, Hollis and New Ipswich.

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GAS POISONING FATAL

Salem Man Visiting His Sisters Here is Found Dead in Bed

Andre Cyr, aged 31 years, a resident of Salem, who was visiting his sisters at 749 Lakeview avenue, in this city, was found dead at the home of the latter late yesterday afternoon, death being due to gas poisoning. The young man had not been feeling well for some time and about three weeks ago he came to this city to rest. Yesterday morning the sisters went to their work as usual, leaving their brother in the house and when they returned shortly before 6 o'clock, they detected a strong odor of gas and after following it to one of the bed rooms, made the discovery.

The body was viewed by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith and later removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons. Deceased who was employed by the Boston & Maine for many years, is survived by five sisters, Mrs. Delima Gagnon and the Misses Marie L., Anna Georgianna and Lizzie Cyr, all of this city.

R. R. DEFIED LABOR BOARD

Federal Judge Page Upholds Pennsylvania Railroad in Its Suit

CHICAGO, April 22.—Federal Judge George T. Page today upheld the Pennsylvania railroad in its suit to test the power of the United States railroad labor board by refusing to dismiss the temporary injunction recently granted by Judge Landis restraining the board from censuring the road for violation of the board's decrees.

Judge Page, while refusing to dismiss the temporary injunction ordered a conference of attorneys for both sides and the case probably will come up again later. The board ordered the road to hold new elections among its shop craft employes some time ago, and the road refused to do so. The board then prepared to issue a decree censuring the carrier and the Pennsylvania obtained the injunction to test the board's powers.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLANS BUSY WEEK

Beginning with a meeting of the board of directors Monday noon, the quarters of the Lowell chamber of commerce will be the scene of a busy noonday program next week. The meetings announced to date are for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

At the board meeting Monday noon, the program was not divulged, but it is expected that a number of interesting facts will be acted upon.

At 12.15 p. m. Tuesday a joint committee, composed of the fire protection committee of the chamber and a committee from the Contractors' association, will meet in the chamber of commerce rooms and take action relative to the revision of the building ordinances. Luncheon will be served.

The Lowell Ad. club will have its weekly meeting at 2.15 Wednesday, with Edward J. Cooney, formerly of the Town Criers, the advertising club of Providence, R. I., and now sales manager of the Lowell Gas Light company, as principal speaker. Mr. Cooney has had extensive experience in the advertising business and his talk before the local club should carry some very good ideas and inspiration to the members. The usual luncheon will be served prior to the meeting.

LITTLE DAMAGE CAUSED BY FROST

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Frost occurred last night from the Atlantic coast westward to Indiana and Ohio and as far south as northern Virginia, but officials expressed the belief that generally little damage was done to fruit.

Temperature around the freezing point were reported from the whole northeastern quarter of the country, ranging as low as 24 degrees at Northfield, Vt., and Binghamton, N. Y.

Another frost, probably not as heavy as that of last night, was forecast for tonight for the northern Atlantic section.

RECONSTRUCTION OF RUSSIA

Actual Work on Plan Started at Genoa Today by Experts of Eight Nations

Heated Politics Surrounding Russian Problems Cooled by Chitcherin's Note

GENOA, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Actual work on a plan for the reconstruction of Russia was started today by experts representing the soviet government, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Czecho-Slovakia and Holland.

The heated politics surrounding the Russian problems has been cooled by M. Chitcherin's note accepting in the main, the allied formula stating the terms on which the great powers are willing to resume business relations with Russia. The question is thus suddenly changed from political to economic, as far as the Genoa conference is concerned and there seem to be bright prospects for a successful outcome.

Sir Edward Grigg, private secretary to the British prime minister, and others prominent in the conference, have made it clear that no proposition has been put forward for government loans to Russia, nor government guarantees of loans.

The single important point of difference, between the Russians and the allied representatives is the unwillingness of the former to restore the free hold title of foreigners' property which has been nationalized or requisitioned in Russia, although they are willing to restore it to the former owners for their use.

In the case of factories, this would doubtless be on a concession basis. Factories, which have hitherto stood idle because the former owners refused to work them unless assured that their title would be restored, may be reopened if the soviet concessions are given a real basis by the Genoa negotiations.

The International Harvester Co. and many other prominent corporations having factories or mines in Russia have declined to consider taking concessions to operate the properties they stoutly contend are theirs, and not owned by the soviet government.

An English spokesman said a meeting of the entire British delegation this morning decided to consider the incident that had arisen out of the Russo-Germany treaty as definitely closed.

He was not sure how far the French really intended to go with their protests against the German reply.

LAWRENCE STRIKERS NAME REPRESENTATIVES

LAWRENCE, April 22.—Five meetings of strikers of as many different mills were scheduled for this morning to choose representatives to meet their employers but only one meeting materialized. That was of strikers in the Acadia mills who elected seven representatives.

The other four meetings were called off because of the small number appearing or because of the lack of leadership.

Other meetings are scheduled for this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow.

SIX GIRLS RESCUED AT BROOKLINE FIRE

BROOKLINE, April 22.—Attorney Philip S. Sears, assisted six servant girls to safety early today when fire was discovered in his home. Cries for help from the servants' quarters aroused Mr. Sears, who, with a brother of one of the girls, found their apartments filled with smoke. Persons outside the house put ladders up to the windows, and Mr. Sears assisted the girls to descend. The damage to the residence was estimated at $2000.

NEW HOSPITAL DEDICATED

UTICA, N. Y., April 22.—The Soldiers and Sailors Memorial hospital erected by Masons of the grand lodge of the state of New York, was dedicated today.

BRAVES TO PLAY MONTREAL

MONTREAL, April 22.—Joe Page, president of the New Eastern Canada Baseball league, announced today that the season will be opened here April 30, with a game between the Boston National league team and the Montreal club.

1 Policeman Killed, 2 Wounded by Bandits

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—One policeman was killed and two were wounded, one critically, by bandits who today held up the office of Morris & Co., here, and escaped with a small amount of payroll money.

Five Deaths as Result of Explosion

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Five deaths were reported early today in hospitals at Downey and Artesia, near here, as a result of the explosion yesterday of a gasoline tank and gasoline tank wagon while scores were fighting a fire in a gasoline filling station at Downey. Five others seriously burned, were reported in a critical condition.

The dead:

WILLIAM C. JARVIS, Lancaster, Cal.

WALTER L. MULLEY, druggist, 35, Downey.

LESTER E. JOHNSON, student, 16, Downey.

EDWARD VANDERGRIFT, retired, 58, Downey.

CLYDE WIERBACHAU, clerk, 30, Downey.

The explosions followed an apparently harmless little fire in the house of the gasoline filling station. The fire alarm brought scores of high school students and townspeople. These were hurled in all directions, some enveloped in the liquid flames from more than a thousand gallons of gasoline.

The force of the explosion was felt for a considerable distance, and occasioned reports of a loss of a hundred lives, which, broadcast by telephone, ambulances and medical aid from Los Angeles and other nearby towns.

Property loss was limited to destruction of the gasoline filling station and one gasoline truck.

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FLOWER DAY FOR LOCAL TEXTILE STRIKERS IS BIG SUCCESS

Girls Engaged in Sale of Flowers Meet With Cheerful and Generous Response---Emergency Order Sent to Boston for More Flowers---Labor Leaders Well Pleased With Results

Twelve thousand flowers sold during the forenoon.

That was the verdict at textile strike headquarters this noon when the strike leaders were asked with what success the "flower" girls were meeting. So brisk was business this forenoon that all the flowers on hand were disposed of and an emergency order was sent in to Boston for 6000 more.

"Flower" day was organized by the strike committee in an endeavor to raise funds for the strikers in distress and according to reports at noon results were far greater than anticipated. Everyone approached by the flower girls responded cheerfully and generously.

Sixty volunteer "salesladies" called at strike headquarters in Central street as per arrangements early this morning and each was equipped with flowers of various colors, and cash boxes. The little army of workers left the headquarters shortly before 7.30 o'clock and after "capturing" street corners in the central part of the city, sold their "wares" to pedestrians.

Frank Stimpson, secretary of the Trades & Labor council, who was handling the office part of the "flower" day, was taken by storm and the appeals of

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Armed Officer Warns Michael Collins

BELFAST, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Michael Collins, upon his arrival this afternoon at Killarney to deliver an address, was met outside the depot by an Irish republican army officer, armed with a revolver, who warned him that he would not be allowed to speak until an incident at Listowel, County Kerry, where the officer alleged one of his men was fired at, had been cleared up.

Mr. Collins, who was accompanied by Commandant General John McKeown, proceeded into town, whereupon the I.R.A. officer ordered the troops who were occupying the railroad hotel to surround the platform at the market place, where Mr. Collins was to speak. A number of men in uniform, carrying rifles and bayonets, rushed out of the building from which a man carrying a machine gun also emerged.

General McKeown, when he heard of the order, said that as an Irish soldier he claimed the right to go through Ireland and would not be deterred. The I.R.A. officer, however, appeared excited and determined. To a priest, who endeavored to dissuade him in his purpose, he replied that he would not allow the meeting to be held and called his men to follow up the order he had given.

The order was obeyed and the men proceeded to the market place. Mr. Collins and his friends, accompanied by a large and enthusiastic crowd, walked to the residence of Dr. O'Sullivan, in New street, where he addressed his meeting.

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THE NESMITH FUND PROBLEM

Solicitor Tierney Allows City Will Have to Restore Missing Money

Question Hinges on Manner in Which it Shall Be Restored

Last Payments of Interest Were Made in Month of March, 1918

City Solicitor Edward J. Tierney said today that the only, probable result of the hearing before the supreme judicial court on the first Monday in June on the Nesmith funds, will be that the city will, sooner or later, be obliged to restore the funds and that the only question to be determined is as to the manner in which this will be accomplished.

It may be that a question asked by Everett E. Tarbox of Commissioner James E. Donnelly in 1918, when he rendered to the latter an opinion on the disappearance of the funds after completing an audit of the city's books, may again be asked in connection with the case when it comes be-

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EXAMINATIONS FOR RADIO OPERATORS

Examinations for first class amateur radio operator licenses were conducted in Room 1 of the Lowell high school from 9 to 11 o'clock this morning and from 2 to 4 o'clock this afternoon, with 15 members of the Lowell Radio club participating. The examination was conducted by Walter J. Butterworth of this city, a radio inspector of the first radio district of the federal department of commerce.

The examination consisted of a code test, with each member required to take or send 10 words a minute, each word containing five letters; the drawing of a diagram of the station he

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Northfield Seminary Students Have Not Been Seen Since Sunday; Police Probe Disappearance

NEW SYSTEM OF HANDLING CASES

Judge Enright Plans to Facilitate Business in District Court

Quick Disposal of All Cases in Which Continuances Are Asked

More Liquor Cases on Docket—Motorist Fined $25—Other Cases

Inaugurating a new system of handling cases in the district court, a lengthy list was disposed of in short order by Judge Thomas J. Enright this morning. Two cases, which were booked to draw state farm sentences, were tried and put out of the way in five minutes. Following this, all cases in which continuances were to be asked were called. The court requested this procedure of the lawyers. In less than 10 minutes the docket was clear of all cases, excepting those ready for trial, and these were pushed to a finish in about one hour and a half. Former Saturday sessions have been interrupted by the

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VESSELS RAIDED IN IRISH PORTS

50 Armed Men Shot Watchman and Set Steamer Aflame at Dublin

Six Men Boarded Gunboat in Kingstown Harbor and Made Off With Gun

DUBLIN, April 22.—Fifty armed men raided the steamer Rathlinhead, anchored here this morning, shot and wounded the watchman on board, sprinkled the decks and fittings with gasoline, set the vessel aflame and made off.

The crew with the assistance of regular Irish republican army troops, extinguished the flames before any very serious damage had been done.

Boarded Gunboat

DUBLIN, April 22.—Six men were seen at midnight last night boarding the gunboat Helga in Kingstown harbor, says a Central News despatch. A party of regular troops rowed out to the Helga, but the raiders had disappeared, taking with them the barrel of a three-pounder gun.

Demands Action by Dail

DUBLIN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—Lord Mayor O'Neill

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The New Owners of

ASSOCIATE HALL

Desire to Lease It For One Year to Responsible Parties

Write or Telephone Dr. John J. Deacy, Shattuck Building, Lawrence. Tel. Lawrence 4611-W.

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PARENTS JOIN IN SEARCH

Pawtucket, R. I., and Ohio Freshmen Missing From School for Five Days

Pair Last Seen Sunday Afternoon Talking to Someone in Automobile

NORTHFIELD, April 22—Emma Safford, 22, of Pawtucket, R. I., and Bernice Hollinshead, whose home is in Ohio, freshmen at Northfield seminary, have been missing from the school for five days.

Police today continued investigating their disappearance with the aid of the parents of the girls, who have come here to aid in the search.

Fellow students said they saw the young women Sunday afternoon talking to someone in a touring car. They were not seen again by those who knew them

Neither girl had baggage or any great sum of money when they left.

Miss Safford, it was learned today, is an orphan and has made her home with her guardian, Mrs. Ernest Sellew of Pawtucket, R. I. She was sent to Northfield last fall to take a special course. It has been learned from Mrs. Sellew that the girl felt that she was not making good progress and had

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MAN IS BADLY BURNED IN LOCAL DYE WORKS

Arthur Foley, aged 26 years, living at 3 rear of 36 Smith street, and employed at the Bay State Dye Works in Howe street, was badly burned while at work today and is in a serious condition at the Lowell General hospital.

It is understood that Foley was employed on one of the washing machines at the works, when suddenly flames burst out under the machine. In his attempts to put out the fire, which was caused by gasoline, the young man received painful and serious burns about the body, hands, arms and face.

Frederick G. Leary, proprietor of the works, removed the injured man to the hospital in his automobile. Dr. Gardner, who attended him, stated this afternoon that owing to the nature of the burns he considers the man's condition very serious.

As soon as the fire was discovered an alarm was sent in from box 8 and several pieces of apparatus responded. There was no damage to the building or machinery and it is not known how the gasoline ignited.

ALLEGED PICKPOCKETS ARRESTED HERE

Two alleged pickpockets, giving the names of Frank Zoll and George Edwards, respectively, of Boston and New York, were taken from a Boston-bound train at the local depot at about 11.30 o'clock this morning by Patrolman Jeremiah Dooley and arrested on complaint of a Nashua man, who claimed he had been "touched" by the pair while on the train.

The men are about 35 years of age, and Officer Dooley recognized one of them as a man he had arrested about 10 years ago on a similar charge.

The Nashua man claimed that while one of the pair engaged him in conversation, the other systematically relieved him of money and other valuables.

HUNT SLAYER OF TICKET AGENT

State and Local Police Seek to Unravel Winchester's Mysterious Murder

Two Officers Turn Spotlight of Investigation to New Hampshire

Hat Bearing Manchester Mark Retained as Clew—Believe Revenge Cause of Murder

PITTSFIELD, N. H., April 22.—Friends of Ralph W. Brewster, the Boston & Maine ticket agent who was fatally shot at Winchester, Mass., last Thursday night, scouted the theory that Brewster, a former resident of this town, had been killed in revenge. They said that neither he nor his wife had ever had trouble with any of the townspeople and described him as a man who had made only friends.

A Massachusetts detective came here last night to inquire into Brewster's life while agent at the local station.

Investigation in New Hampshire

WINCHESTER, April 22.—While state and local police were preparing for another day's work in seeking out the person who shot and killed Ralph W. Brewster, Boston and Maine station agent, in his office here Thursday evening, State Officer Kirlin and Patrolman Thomas McCauley of the Winchester force were turning the spotlight of the investigation to New Hampshire.

Officer Kirlin, who went to Pittsfield, N. H., Brewster's former home, yesterday, in an attempt to learn whether the murdered agent had any enemies who might have done the shooting, telegraphed Chief of Police McIntosh early today that he would not return until late this afternoon. The message was not made public, but it was known

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NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, April 22.—Exchanges $537,900,000; balances $70,500,000.

Weekly: Exchanges $4,886,400,000; balances $932,800,000.

FOUND HOMER PIGEON

George Gaudette of 1117 Middlesex street found a homer pigeon near his residence today and is caring for it until such time as it is claimed by its owner. The bird which fell to the ground, exhausted, bears a tag marked C.A.H. 93, 1916.

JACK DEMPSEY IN PARIS

PARIS, April 22. (By Associated Press.)—Jack Dempsey arrived here from London this afternoon. He managed to dodge a crowd of several thousand enthusiasts.

Lowell Choral Society

At the

OPERA HOUSE

Tuesday, Evening, April 25

JEANNETTE VREELAND, soprano
MILDRED BRYARS, contralto
CHARLES STRATTON, tenor
WALTER KIDDER, baritone

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There are also four hundred seats being sold at.....85c each

CHORUS OF 225

Lowell Choral Society

SELF-CONFESSED BURGLAR HELD IN $5000 FOR GRAND JURY

William J. Sternberg Pleads Guilty to Larceny on Two Counts---He Was Arrested in the Donovan Building Yesterday Morning While Ransacking an Office---Says He Turned Burglar Because He Was Broke and Out of Work

William J. Sternberg, self-confessed burglar, was held in $5000 bail for the next session of the grand jury, when he appeared before Judge Thomas J. Enright in district court this morning to answer to larceny charges. He pleaded guilty to larceny on two counts of watches and other jewelry from Ricard and Smith's shop in the Mansur building. He appeared in court yesterday morning and was booked on other counts and held in $3000 bail for his appearance today. The charges involving the Ricard and Smith break were specifically lodged against him today and before his appearance at the grand jury session evidence will be worked up which may result in a number of indictments being returned.

Sternberg was arrested about 2 o'clock Friday morning by Officers Paul Spillane and William F. Liston, who, working together, discovered him in the Donovan building at 267 Central street. According to the story told at police headquarters, Officer Spillane was patroling his beat on Central street and, passing the Donovan building door, noticed that it was open. Just then Officer Liston, who was going home, happened by.

Liston guarded the door while Spillane investigated the third and fourth floors. He found offices in a topsy-turvy condition. The doors of about 10 offices had been forced by some sharp, heavy instrument. When the officer reached the office of Dr.

WILLIAM J. STERNBERG

William M. Collins he discovered his man. He called Officer Liston and, with drawn revolvers, the officers entered and placed Sternberg under

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LOCKS AND CANALS ACCEPTS CITY'S OFFER OF $20,000 FOR OVAL

Much Discussed Area in First Street Will Be Acquired by Immediate Purchase---Mayor Receives Notice of Action of Directors of Company at Meeting Held Yesterday

The First street oval property will be purchased by the city from the Locks and Canals for $20,000, the amount of the offer recently submitted to the company by the city through the chairman of the board of park commissioners.

Mayor George H. Brown today received notice from the Locks and Canals, quoting a vote passed by the directors of the company at a meeting held yesterday, whereby the city's offer is accepted, provided that payment is made within two months and taxes are adjusted to the date of sale.

The culmination of the deal, which now is a certainty, brings to an end an agitation for the purchase of this land that stretches back for some time and once it is in the city's hands and development of the area is made, it will fill a long felt need for an adequate playground and sport field at

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WILL PROCEED AGAINST LANDLORDS UNDER THE VOLSTEAD ACT

Police to Serve Notice on Owners of Property Where Liquor Nuisances Are Maintained---Supt. MacBrayne Says Liquor Is Being Sold in About 60 Near-Beer Saloons Throughout the City

Superintendent of Police MacBrayne stated today that on Monday morning he will send his liquor inspectors out to call on landlords throughout the city in whose buildings near-beer saloons constituting liquor nuisances are maintained, and the inspectors will warn the landlords that unless the proprietors of the near-beer saloons are ousted and the places closed that the superintendent will proceed against them under the Volstead act.

"It is possible," said Mr. MacBrayne, "that all of the landlords do not know their tenants are selling liquor. But we will furnish all the evidence necessary, either along the line of convictions already made or liquor nuisances.

We have not tried for many convictions on the grounds of liquor nuisances, because we felt that we could get quicker results from sale or search, but under this new plan of notice to the landlord we will furnish, with other evidence, that of liquor nuisance."

Mr. MacBrayne says there are about sixty places in Lowell in which liquor is being sold.

Two Rescue Workers Killed at Mine

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 22.—Two rescue workers were killed and two others injured today, at the Aimena mine of the Sturm Coal Co., near here, when they were crushed under a fall of slate while searching for the bodies of two miners buried several days ago in a cave-in.

Reindeer Steak Will Soon Grace the American Table

WM. T. LOPP AND AN ALASKAN REINDEER

BY PHILIP SINNOTT

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, April 18.—Get ready to eat reindeer meat, folks. The reindeer experiments of Uncle Sam and William T. Lopp, in Alaska have proven a great success.

The first drive of 1500 steers, from the home range to a big distributing point, is already under way. The Alaskan railway and steamers to the states will get the product out to the consumers.

More than 800 miles will be traversed by this herd, moving from Good News Bay to Riley Creek on the railway. The herd will pasture and fatten on the moss-covered plains along the railway. In the fall they will be slaughtered.

A Different "Drive"

It is a far different "drive" than those of the western cattle men. Instead of warm weather, the herd was started in winter, to insure streams being frozen over.

Other herds will follow this to the vicinity of the railroad, where a 12,000 square mile area is open for feeding them, and transportation is at hand. Surplus steers from other herds will be brought in regularly, and the offspring of the 1250 reindeer the government imported from Siberia will be a factor in feeding not only Alaska but part of the United States.

As a palatable, nourishing food, reindeer meat finds favor wherever marketed in America. Besides the meat and the raw skins, tanned reindeer skins are used for gloves, military trousers, chamois polishers and book binding. Reindeer hair is used in Europe for filling life-saving apparatus. From reindeer horns, a fine quality of glue is made.

But to the Eskimo is the reindeer most valuable. Alive, it represents a value of $25 a head. It is an excellent sled animal traveling in snow too deep for dogs. Dead, his meat assures a food supply and a trading commodity, and its skin provides the material for making every garment worn.

Eskimos Benefit

Twenty-five years ago, the Eskimos owned nothing. Today, those in the reindeer industry own herds worth over $4,000,000, have an assurance of a profitable livelihood, and real business judgment.

Here is where Lopp has succeeded. He's chief of the Alaska division, U. S. Bureau of Education, and has taught the Eskimos the reindeer businesss.

Pioneers will tell you of Lopp's part in the Point Barrow Relief Expedition of 1897, when with four Eskimos, he drove 400 reindeer across the treacherous ice and wind-swept Arctic winter coast for 750 miles, to feed a starving people.

SHOE INDUSTRY MAY LOCATE HERE

The John R. Donovan Shoe Co. is seeking a location in this city and in the event that no desirable place can be found here, it is probable that the company will shift its activities to Manchester, N. H. This company is now doing business in Lynn, but it is trying to get away from that city because union organizations there will not accept wage reductions, and the officials of the company claim they cannot operate at a profit under present conditions. John R. Donovan, a representative of the firm, spent a few days in this city this week and was shown a large, well equipped plant, formerly used for the manufacture of shoes. The company will decide shortly whether Lowell or Manchester will be its next place of business.

FIFTH REGIMENT'S TRIP DELAYED

Lowell will not see the Fifth regiment from Portland en route for Camp Devens until about the middle of May. Previous plans called for an earlier march, but delays have been experienced and the outfit will not leave the Maine city until after the first of the month. Lowell post of the American Legion has planned to escort the regiment through this city.

McGLINCHEY CASE IS POSTPONED

A postponement pending the result of the inquest has been made in the case of Jeremiah J. McGlinchey of this city, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Elijah Jones, a prominent lumber dealer of Pelham, on Sunday, April 9. The case was to have come up in Andover yesterday.

Jones' death occurred while riding with the Lowell man in an automobile near Haggett's pond on the Andover road, the machine crashing into a telephone pole and causing the Pelham resident's fatal injuries. McGlinchey suffered but minor injuries. About a week will elapse before the case comes to trial, according to expectations.

BELLEAU WOOD MEMORIAL FUND

Lowell's fund toward the Belleau Wood memorial now stands at $240 and is steadily climbing through the medium of $1 memberships. This is a part of the national campaign to secure $300,000 with which the shell-torn town of Belleau may be rebuilt and that the American cemetery there may be developed. Local people interested in the fund may contribute to George R. Chandler, treasurer, at the Union National bank, or to Robert F. Marden, chairman of the campaign committee.

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"Although I am 56, I feel as young as 20 years ago, and perform all household duties." MRS. J. P MOORES, Lisbon Falls Me

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The Famous Elvita Remedies are sold in Lowell by Sam McCord, 236 Merrimack St., Fred Howard, 197 Central St., and all reliable druggists.

A SCRAMBLED ROYAL ROMANCE

It was generally expected that the betrothal of the Prince of Wales to Lady Rachel Cavendish would be announced upon his return to England. However, a report that emanates from a source close to the royal household has it that the engagement of the Duke of York, the crown prince's brother (above), to Lady Rachel and of the Prince of Wales to Lady Mary Cambridge (left), his first cousin, will be announced soon.

ANNUAL INDOOR DRILL

Fine Exhibition Last Night by Boys of Lowell High School

Cadets of the Lowell high school regiment treated 600 or more spectators to a fine exhibition of military and gymnastic work at last night's drill held in the high school annex.

Included in the program were prize drills, individual and mass gymnastics, and a dress parade by three companies of the regiment. The program was opened with a fine concert by the high school regiment band under the leadership of Lieut. Fred C. Lalte.

The individual prize drill was then in order and about 25 candidates responded to the assembly call. At the end of the first period all but 11 boys were eliminated, while at the end of the second only four remained. The prizes were awarded to: First, Corp. David Browning, Co. F; second, Corp. Romanus Soukaris, C. D.; third, Private John Parker, Co. E.

A drill by the freshman class followed. This drill was a gymnastic one under the supervision of Donald R. McIntyre. Companies C, F and G then went through part of Butts manual in snappy style. Another squad from the freshman class offered another gymnastic drill, following which was a competitive drill between the fifth squad of Co. A and the first squad of Co. C. The judges, Maj. James J. Powers, Capt. Arthur H. Cashin and Capt. S. R. Waller, awarded Co. C. the red ribbon for the better work.

A sabre drill by the officers, a tin cup fight between James Gleason of Lowell and William Martin of Worcester and a dress parade by Companies C, F and G closed the program.

The prizes were awarded by Mayor George H. Brown. The affair was carried out under the direction of Principal Henry H. Harris, Maj. Colby T. Kittredge James Conway and Mr. McIntyre. Mrs. Bertha M. Huse played the piano accompaniment for the various gymnastic drills.

DIVISION EIGHT A. O. H. ANNIVERSARY

Division 8, A.O.H., will celebrate its 32d anniversary on next Monday evening in A.O.H. hall, Middle street. The observance will be featured by speaking and a musical program of high order.

The speakers of the evening are men who have shown great interest in A.O.H. affairs for a number of years, and their remarks are certain to be not only eloquent but timely. Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph.D., pastor of St. Peter's church, is a speaker of note, and his educational attainments are such that his remarks are highly entertaining on whatever subject he may discuss. County President Thos. F. Linehan of Malden owes his rise to his high position in the order to extensive knowledge of its underlying principles and exceptional executive ability. Patrick J. Reynolds is a well known young local attorney, and his eloquence has been appreciated by all who have heard him in the past. Historian John Burrett, who is to relate the history of the division since its institution, has proved his capability on many occasions, and his narrative of his division's progress and accomplishments will be of great interest to all who attend.

An excellent musical program will be carried out by popular entertainers.

PRIZES AWARDED AT WHIST PARTY

A most enjoyable whist party took place in St. Margaret's parish hall last night, with an excellent attendance. After the playing had been brought to a close the following prizes were awarded: Smoking set, donated by Mrs. J. J. Brown, William Kearn; candy, donated by Mrs. C. Bagshaw, Mrs. James Drain; cut glass celery dish, donated by Mrs. Joseph Burke, Mrs. Joseph Burke; silk stockings, donated by Mrs. James B. Casey, Mrs. F. McCarthy; handkerchiefs, donated by Miss Della Darvain, Miss B. Smillie; fudge apron, donated by Miss Anna Flynn, Miss M. Tuyr; mahogany tray, donated by Mrs. D. Foye, Mrs. J. J. Ryan; crumb tray and brush, donated by Mrs. E. Gale, Miss Alice Griffin; cut glass flower basket, donated by Miss Minnie Gorman, James Hearn; rubber apron, donated by Mrs. W. Hickey, Mrs. Geo. Bannister; bath towel, donated by Mrs. F. V. Kelly, Miss Wheley; cuff links, donated by Miss Mary Moynahan, Harry Ryan; cut glass dish, donated by Mrs. F. McCarthy, Mrs. Hanshury; vase, donated by Mrs. P. Ryan, Miss Julia Driscoll; nasturtium dish, donated by Mrs. M. Sharkey, Miss Elizabeth N. Flahavan; wicker flower basket, donated by Mrs. Edward Tierney, Miss M. Hayes; cut glass jelly dish donated by Mrs Mary Welch, Mr. J. J. Welsh.

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ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office during the week: Cambridge Savings bank vs. Frederick S. Mosley et als. of Boston, action of contract, $40,000; Fred Tepffer, Lawrence, vs. William A. O'Malley of Dracut and Eugene F. Callahan of Lowell, action of contract, $1000; William L. Morrison of Boston and Conner Bros. of Lowell vs. John Brady and James C. Donovan, action of tort, $5000; Ambrose H. Creamer vs. Simon Lane, action of contract, $3000.

D. OF R. CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Business sessions devoted to reports from state regents and action on the report of the resolutions committee formed the concluding day's program for the 31st congress here of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday in North and Middle States:

Generally fair and rising temperature first half and unsettled and normal temperature latter half.

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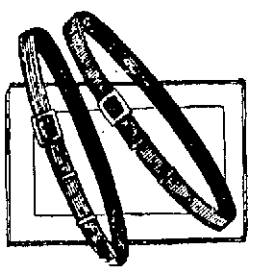

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Men's light weight union suits of ribbed cotton—short sleeves—regular and stout sizes.

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All wool serge—made with yoke and inverted pleat back—coat mohair lined, also both pairs of pants are lined. Sizes 7 to 17 years.

All Wool Middy Suits

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For boys 3 to 8 years old—made of blue serge, trimmed with three rows of white braid on collar and cuffs—pants lined.

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39c Each

Percale and chambray blouses for boys 6 to 15 years—pretty patterns.

BOYS' KOVERALLS

$1.25 Pair

Blue denim, also blue or brown twill, trimmed with red — similar to overalls.

Boys' Clothing Section—Basement

Men's $1, $1.25, $1.50

Shirts

Now 79¢ 2 for $1.50

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Men's Furnishing Section—Basement

A fortunate purchase of these 200 Shirts enables us to offer today $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 values at only **79c Each—2 for $1.50.** They're separated into four lots, as follows—

Lot 1—High grade negligee shirts, made of fine count percale and madras, in a large assortment of stripes; French cuffs. Regular $1.50 value.

Lot 2—Attached collar shirts of good quality cotton and pongee. Regular $1.00 and $1.50 values.

Lot 3—Negligee shirts with attached collar. A good variety of stripes, in fine count percale. Regular $1.00 value.

Lot 4—Chambray shirts with collar attached—dandy work shirts—made with one or two pockets, reinforced cuffs. Sizes 14½ to 18½. Regular $1.00 and $1.25 values.

MINERS' PLAN TO END STRIKE

Would Return to Work Pending Negotiation of New Wage Agreement

Vice Pres. Murray Submits Proposition at Debate in New York

NEW YORK, April 22.—The coal miners will declare the strike off and return to work, pending negotiation of a new wage agreement, if congress will pass a joint resolution or bill, applying the bituminous coal commission's award of 1920 to all soft coal operations, Philip Murray, vice president of the United Mine workers of America, declared last night at a debate on the coal strike.

Another movement, he said, would be recommended to President Harding to call a national conference of the representatives of all operators and mine workers to negotiate a new agreement.

He also recommended as a permanent policy for regulating production and stabilizing the industry, the appointment of a representative technical and official commission, "charged with the duty of collecting and analyzing all the facts and with making sound and appropriate constructive recommendations."

The subject debated was, "What lies back of the coal strike and what lies ahead." Mr. Murray presented the miners' side of the controversy and Thomas H. Watkins, president of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Co., the operators' viewpoint. The public's attitude was interpreted by Harry A. Garfield, president of Williams college, who was national coal administrator under former President Wilson, and by Robert W. Bruere, director of the bureau of industrial research.

The application of the award of the president's coal commission of 1920 to both union and non-union fields, Mr. Murray stated, would remove from the union operators "the menace of the vicious competition of non-union operators and bring about uniformity in wages and working conditions."

"As soon as these conditions were brought about," he said, "there would be no opposition to a national conference of operators and mine workers, and a new working agreement without doubt, would be negotiated."

Mr. Watkins contended that the operators had encouraged the principle of collective bargaining between miners and operators in large groups, but it has "temporarily broken down by action of the mine workers."

"Their failure to spread their control over the large non-union fields, of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and other states can partly be attributed," he said, "to the fact that they have broken away from the true principles of collective bargaining and have adopted autocratic, coercive methods in the organized fields."

"Collective bargaining gradually faded away," he added, "and for it was substituted collective threatening, so that it has now grown to be the custom to approach the conference table, at which they ask us to sit, with what might be termed a sand bag in their hands in the way of an authorized strike vote if their demands are not granted."

Mr. Garfield said the consumer of coal is not warranted in demanding that he pay less for the product delivered at his home or factory than shall represent fair profit and fair wages and a just return for transportation and a fair commission to those who perform necessary functions in the distribution of the product.

"What the public objects to," he declared, "and to this the public has every right to object, is that fair profits, excessive wages, unnecessarily large freight charges and commissions shall be laid upon him, and this without the opportunity to be heard or the power to prevent. He is entitled to be heard through his chosen representatives whenever he is called upon to pay more than is fair or whenever—and this more important still—this necessary basic commodity is denied to him."

LOCOMOTIVE SHOPS TO BE CLOSED

BOSTON, April 22.—The Boston & Albany railroad announced today that at the close of business on Wednesday, April 26, its locomotive shops at West Springfield, Mass., would be closed for an indefinite period. The shutdown will affect about 325 men. A marked falling off in business, due in large measure to the local strike, was assigned as the reason for the curtailment. Announcement was made that the carshops at West Springfield would continue to run on full time for the present.

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TO TAKE STRIKE VOTE

Ballots Distributed to 600,000 Members of Railway Employes of A. F. of L.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Grievances centering about the contract system employed by some railroads in the handling of repair work has resulted in a vote for distribution of strike ballots to the 600,000 members of the Railway Employes Department of the American Federation of Labor.

This department comprises the six federated shop crafts and the Switchmen's union of North America.

Authorization for the strike ballots was voted at the sixth biennial convention of the department, which has been in session here two weeks and which concluded its sessions today. The vote to send out the ballots was taken yesterday and officers declared that it was a counter move to "an effort to crush our organization completely."

"If there is a strike, and I feel sure our men will vote solidly for it, it will be in protest of the action of railways in ignoring decisions of the United States Railway Labor board," said B. M. Jewell, president of the Railway Employes Department.

The Labor board now has pending several complaints against the contract or farming out system.

AMBULANCE AND TOURING CAR IN COLLISION

BOSTON, April 22—Six persons, including a nine-months-old baby suffering with diphtheria, were badly shaken up when a City hospital ambulance was wrecked in a collision with a touring car at Otis and Summer streets last night.

The baby, Joseph Bass, aged nine months, of 79 Salem street, was in a hammock-like swing, suspended from the roof of the ambulance, being driven from the Haymarket Relief hospital to City hospital by Driver John F. Kelleher of 603 East Fourth street, South Boston.

Driver Kelleher, sounding the gong of the ambulance loudly, was piloting the car across Summer street when the large touring car sideswiped it, forcing it to the right and against a curb at the corner of Kingston and Summer streets, directly in front of a cigar store. Two windows were broken in the ambulance, the front wheels were bent from shape, shock absorbers torn from their fastenings, and a hole ripped in the side by the top frame of the touring machine. The sling protected the infant from further injury than a shaking up.

John M. Clayton of 679 Willett ave., Barrington, R. I., an employe of the Providence branch of the Packard Motor Car company, and driver of the other machine, suffered from shock and fainted, as did one of the young women with him.

No arrests were made by the police. Another ambulance, hastily called from City hospital, removed Baby Bass to that institution.

LOWELL'S BIG FOOD FAIR CLOSES TONIGHT

The Food fair will close today. Until 10 o'clock tonight the glittering display will be on for its final time, and all who have not availed themselves of the opportunity to sample some of the many good things at the Kasino should not fail to visit the Kasino this evening.

The electrical display of L. A. Derby & Co. is of unusual beauty and brilliancy. It is complete in every detail and it shows not only the illuminating possibilities of your home, but it gives you a complete idea of the many little comfortable fixtures which can be adjusted. Mr. Derby personally put much time into this display, and it has received most favorable comment by all who have seen it.

Afternoon and evening there will be radio concerts at the Kasino, giving to all who have not experienced the pleasure an idea of just what comes through the air from the broadcasting stations of the country.

In addition there will be the Ampico concerts which have given so many persons real delight. Nothing has been left undone to make this fair one of the most attractive ever seen here or in nearby cities. The state association of retail grocers and provision dealers has gone quite the limit in bringing to the attention of thousands of Lowell people the wonderful new foods and the wonderful new ways of preparing them.

Without specifying any booth, it should be said that there are several which in all honesty give wholly new and practical ideas to housekeepers.

It is your last chance to see this big fair, and one which will not be duplicated again in years, in all probability.

DECISIONS ANNOUNCED BY COMMR. LANDIS

CHICAGO, April 22.—Baseball Commissioner Landis today awarded the services of Joseph Cosgrove, to the Waterbury club of the Eastern league. He managed the team in 1921.

A "year's dissociation from ineligibles" must elapse, Commissioner Landis held, before Sidney Agnew, formerly of the New York Americans, who refused to report to Hartford when transferred under an optional agreement, may play again in organized baseball.

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PROSPERITY IN SIGHT

Country Around Curve, Says Comptroller—Warns Against Speculation

GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 22.—A warning against a growing tendency toward speculation throughout the country as business conditions improve, was sounded today by Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger in an address before the Florida Bankers' association. He urged the bankers to advise their clients toward sound investments and to use their influence "to prevent fly-by-night schemes."

Recent reductions in interest rates, Mr. Crissinger declared, have been too generally regarded by the speculative public as a sign of easy profits when at the present time it was of supreme importance that money and credit should be available to sustain renewed business activity.

Mr. Crissinger declared that he was glad to bring a message of assurance that the country was indeed around the curve and moving steadily and surely forward on the road to more prosperous conditions.

"The business outlook for the whole country," he continued, "is brighter and more encouraging than it has been for the past two years."

REPORT OF BIRTHS

April 3—To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Begley, 91 London street, a son.

April 5—To Mr. and Mrs. Armand Martin, 72 Willie street, a daughter.

April 7—To Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cornock, 78 Blossom street, a son.

April 8—To Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Waldron, 129 Cushing street, a son.

April 9—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fay, 71 London street, a son.

April 10—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Conniff, 22 Walnut street, a daughter.

April 11—To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith, 108 Washington street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Matthews, 127 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henri Boisvert, 831 Merrimack street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Quinn, 84 Gates street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Costas Georgeou, 196 Sprague avenue, a daughter.

April 12—To Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Belanger, 253 Cumberland road, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Delphis Roy, 397 School street, a son.

April 13—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nasrus, 67 Crosby street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reukos, 722 Central street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Henri Patenaude, 9 Varley avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Stevens, 37 South Loring street, a son.

April 14—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moriarty, 11 Brooks street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Archambault, 20 Joliette avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Maxime Mousseau, 183 Perkins street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Albert d'Angelo, 354 Middlesex street, a son.

April 15—To Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Dubois, 33 Tucker street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Prudhomme, 10 Lilley avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, 96 Fourth avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Maxime Guillemette, 59 Colburn street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Pierce, 50 Coral street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Richards, 113 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Gregorios Vrlantisopoulos, 7 Hennessey's court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Dean B. Yarnell, 271 Thorndike street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cronin, 16 West Third street, a daughter.

April 16—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Valleo, 7 Dane street avenue, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bentas, 268 Methuen street, a son and daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Oxeliphas Breton, 316 Aiken street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Lemolin, 14 Pawtucket street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. George Langlois, 24 James street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sperou, 154 Adams street, a son.

April 17—To Mr. and Mrs. Caesar d'Angelo, 14 Rogers street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Charlonka, 123 Railroad street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dumont, 161 Woburn street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Baillargeon, 14 Pawtucket street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Gagnon, 497 Moody street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, 763 Aiken street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William P. Dowd, 435 Central street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Erving E. Loveland, 187 Hale street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cochrek, 96 Andover street, a son.

April 18—To Mr. and Mrs. John Mekras, 71 Dummer street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agrella, 2 r. 188 Moody street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. James Cullan, 1575 Varnum ave., a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Zepherin Moule, 19 Crane street, a daughter.

April 19—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Jarvis, 83 Westford street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lagasse, 29 Perrin street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Makera, 30 Fulton street, a son.

April 20—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Magan, 21½ Fourth street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ovide Demers, 163 Ennell street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gervais, 511 Bridge street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Courtois, 10 Aiken avenue, a daughter.

HOLY ROSARY SOCIAL A GREAT SUCCESS

The annual social, conducted by the Sacred Heart Holy Rosary sodality in the school hall, Moore street, last evening proved one of the most successful and enjoyable on record.

A large crowd was on hand and the various numbers on the well arranged program were warmly received by the audience. Many visitors from other parishes as well as several from out of town attended. The clergymen of the parish were also present to assist in the success of the undertaking.

The affair opened with a character march and this feature provided much amusement for participants and spectators alike. Then followed a program of musical, literary and dancing features. Miss Mabel Sullivan presided and announced the various numbers. The program was as follows:

March,
Sacred Heart Orchestra
Hymn, "Mother Dear Oh Pray For Me,"
Dance duet,
Ursula Sharkey, Esther Donlon
Song: "My Irish American Rose,"
Lillian Mooney
Sailor's Hornpipe,
Agnes Conlon
Song: "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling,"
Sadie Kenney
Toe Dance,
Dorothy Rouine
Erin's Flag,
Katherine Kenney
Skirt Dance,
Margaret Mooney
Cornet solo,
Mrs. Eugene L. Sullivan
Dance: "Off She Goes,"
Margaret Higgins
Reading,
Mrs. Daniel F. Sullivan
Reading: "Collier's Dying Child,"
Isabel Kennedy
Accompanists:
Mrs. William Mooney, Marion McFadden.

General dancing followed with music by Mary Foley and Margaret Doherty and the Sacred Heart orchestra.

The committee in charge was as follows: President, Mrs. Mark Doherty; vice president, Mrs. Eugene P. Sullivan; secretary, Mrs. Mary Rouine, treasurer, Mrs. Bryan McFadden, and spiritual director, Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I.

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$950 FOR ESSAYS ON FORESTRY PROBLEMS

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N. S., April 22.—Devastation wrought in Canada by the spruce bud worm and forest fires has caused Frank J. Barnjum, a prominent lumber operator, to offer a series of prizes totalling $950 for essays on forestry problems and for practical experiments in reforestation.

So urgent is the situation in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia that additional offers of prizes will be made in these provinces by Mr. Barnjum.

In announcing his plan, Barnjum declared that the province of Quebec alone suffered a loss of 160,000,000 cords of standing pulpwood in 10 years through tree pests. The value of this wasted timber, he said, was $3,000,000,000 and in manufactured news print it would provide a 45 years supply for the entire North American continent.

PLASTERERS GETTING NINE DOLLARS A DAY

Contractor Daniel H. Walker is paying the plasterers employed on the high school nine dollars a day. The regular wage was eight dollars per day, but in order to hold his men on the job he had to increase the rate one dollar per day. One other Lowell contractor is paying the same rate.

PALESTINE COTTON MARKET

WASHINGTON, April 22.—American interest in the Palestine cotton market is growing but still is far below foreign competitors, according to a report to the commerce department today from Consul Southard at Jerusalem.

Cotton piece goods, he declared, form the chief item of the Palestine import trade for the past two years imports of cotton piecegoods averaging 16,280,000 yards with a value of $6,740,000. British cotton dominates the market, he said, Japanese cotton has had a good market for the past two years. Italian goods are next in importance, while smaller quantities come from France and the United States.

PRINCE LEAVES TOKIO

TOKIO, April 22. (By Associated Press.)—The Prince of Wales said farewell today leaving for Yokohama on the special train provided for his use while in Japan.

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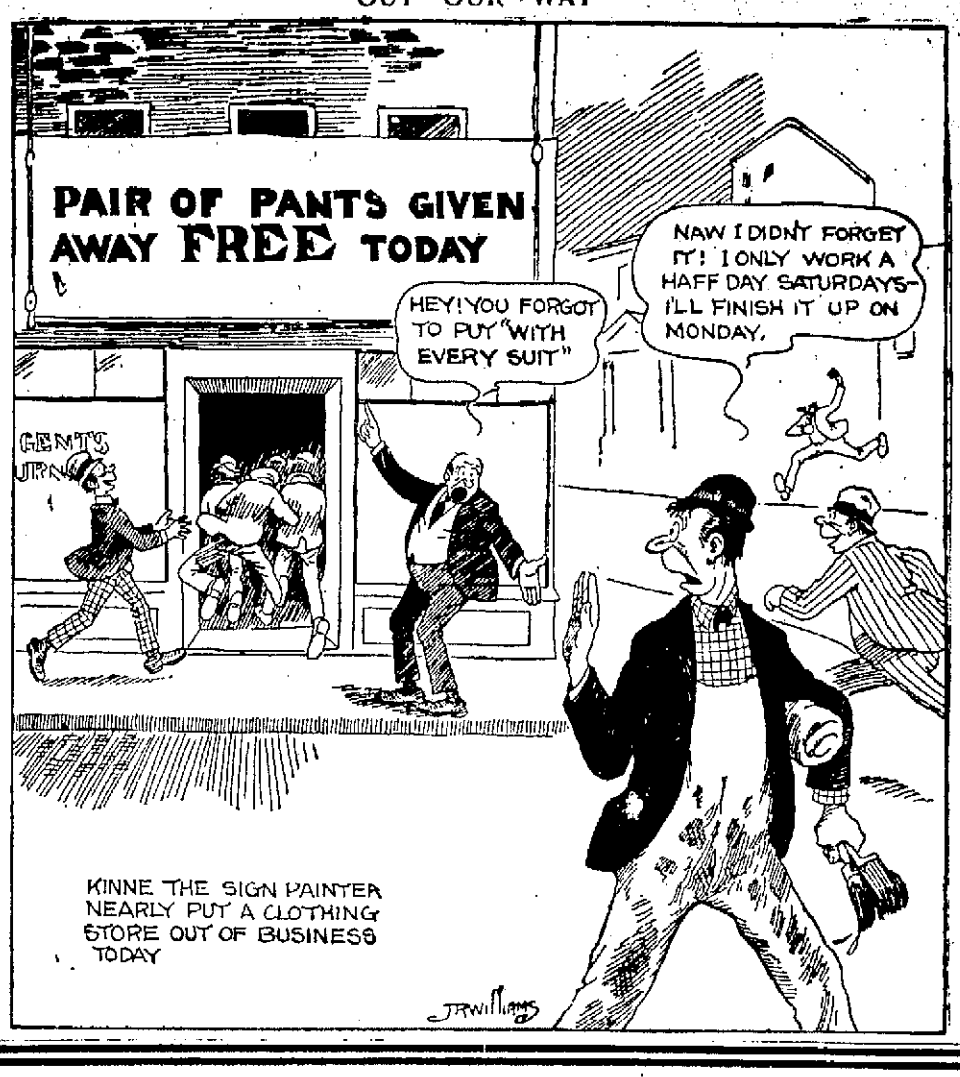

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FRESH CUT PIGS' LIVER, lb. 5c
HAMBURG STEAK, Fresh Ground From Lean Meat, lb. 7c
4 lbs. for 25¢
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UNCLE SAM CONDUCTS SCHOOL OF CORRESPONDENCE

Superfluous Russian Ambassador Representing Defunct Government at Washington---Using Money Voted by Congress for Russia---Great Monument to Be Dedicated at Washington Next Month---Technical Terms of Tariff Bill Puzzle Reading Clerks of Congress

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—Uncle Sam is conducting a correspondence school of his own and doing it without expense to those who profit by its instruction. It is a Marine Corps institution and was organized about two years ago and has 225 men engaged in the work of instruction. They are trained and drilled to meet any emergency. Exclusive of the salaries of the instructors the cost to the government is only $4 per student and the Marine Corps believe it is doing inestimable service in training members of the corps. "It makes our men available for emergency work in nearly every line," said Commander Lejeune. It gives any man or boy in the Marine Corps an opportunity to study, he is not compelled to take the course but may do so if he desires, and without cost to himself. "I am certain it makes better soldiers," said Gen. Lejeune. "a man whose mind is trained is a better asset to the nation than an illiterate man or one whose education is extremely limited. The theory that a man is a better soldier if he does nothing else than to obey orders is a bygone theory. We believe the better trained mind a man has the more alert he will be and as a result he will be a better soldier."

That Russian Ambassador

When is a foreign ambassador not an ambassador, is a question that is a lively rival of How Old is Ann? The Russian Ambassador Boris Bakhmeteff, came here accredited to the Kerensky regime and was received as such by President Wilson and his secretary of state. Now there is no Kerensky government in Russia and no Wilson government here, but all the same Bakhmeteff is a left over and still holds place on the official diplomatic list of the United States. Moreover he has enjoyed the control of the $187,000,000 voted for Russia near the opening of the war, which was designated for the use of the Kerensky regime. Mr. Bakhmeteff has been content to remain in comparative obscurity during the last year, and although his name is on the official lists, not much attention was paid to it, till he was this week summoned to appear before a senate committee on foreign relation in connection with the Semenoff case. Then Mr. Bakhmeteff wrapped himself in diplomatic immunity and declined to respond, as ambassadors from foreign countries have immunity from such summons. It is an embarrassing situation for the United States. It found Bakhmeteff a legacy from the Wilson administration and it would not tend to smooth over many rough spots in European diplomatic circles if the United States dismissed the Russian ambassador which is the only means of deposing him, which the United States can use. It was an old custom to retain diplomatic relations with the ambassadors of deposed monarchs on the grounds that the change of monarchs was probably temporary and the reigning family would again be in power. In the present case the game of contesting the standing of Bakhmeteff didn't seem worth the candle, so he was not disturbed. But now the question is raised by senators as to whether it is wise to permit him to continue to represent a government that does not exist and whether or not Mr. Bakhmeteff is longer entitled to use of funds with which to maintain the Russian embassy here. Until the incident of the Semenoff matter drew Bakhmeteff into the limelight, it has been a case of let sleeping dogs sleep, but now Senator Borah has called pointed attention to the matter the senate is likely to act, but with what result no one can foretell. But a successor to Bakhmeteff would be a representative of the soviet government so the chances are Mr. Hughes will continue to uphold his standing here.

Appeal From Adjutant Generals

The adjutant generals from 16 states came here this week to urge the senate appropriation committee to keep the appropriation for militia up to the sum fixed by the budget and not permit the house decrease to stand in the final framing of the bill.

Gen. Edward L. Logan of Boston was also here representing the American Legion which endorses the larger sum. Adjutant Generals Howard of New Hampshire and Johnson of Vermont represented the New England states at the hearings, and urged that the appropriation for militia purposes be raised from $21,000,000 where it stands by act of the house to $25,000,000 which they believe is the smallest sum adequate to carry on the work. The budget fixed $30,000,000 but the house committee slashed down without mercy. The men representing the militia and American Legion expressed the belief that the amount now named by congress will not be sufficient to maintain the quota of National Guard allotted each state by the militia bureau.

Grant Memorial

Elaborate ceremonies will mark the formal dedication of the great Grant monument to take place here next month. Already stands are being erected in the Botanic Garden, at the head of which the splendid memorial stands. It is just across the avenue at the foot of the capital grounds and will mark the entrance to the enlarged botanic gardens for which congress is now providing and which will be worthy the great nations whose botanic resources it will represent. The Grant monument will be unveiled by two granddaughters of Gen. Grant. The memorial will be presented to the United States by Secretary of War Weeks and accepted by Vice President Coolidge, so as has often been the case in the present administration, it will be New England and especially Massachusetts that will hold the foremost place in national affairs. President Harding has a long standing Ohio engagement for that day, so Mr. Coolidge will act in his stead, and deliver the principal address.

It often happens that some congressional orator, right in the midst of a flight of eloquence, gets stranded for a word or for a smile, and comes back to earth with a sudden thump. Take for instance the day Senator Ashurst was pleading eloquently for an additional federal judge for the state of Arizona. Mr. Ashurst described in technical terms the need of an additional justice; he, pictured the harrowing cases that come before such an official pointing his long arms skyward. Then he fell to earth. "Why," said he, "you must see the need yourself. A judge can't grind out decisions as he would grind sausages out of a machine."

Then take the incident during the eloquent and fiery debate on whether or not the navy personnel should be 86,000 or 67,000 when Chindblom of Illinois stopped in the midst of an impassioned speech and demanded a rising vote on his amendment. "I just want to have you count noses and see how we stand," he shouted to the dignified gentleman in the chair. And the presiding officer ordered the noses to be counted, only he used a more technical and dignified term in so doing.

Thanking the Daughters

A suitable tablet in recognition of the courtesy of the Daughters of the American Revolution in permitting the Washington conference on limitation of armament to use its hall, will be presented to that organization if a bill introduced this week by Senator Curtis of Kansas passes congress.

The reading clerks of congress are having a struggle over the technical terms of a tariff bill. Whenever a change of administration occurs, or a change is made in the existing tariff, words of great length invariably appear in the bill, especially as relating to chemical terms. One containing 33 letters, or seven more than the entire alphabet nearly choked the reading clerk this week, as he was rapidly reading the bill and came upon it unexpectedly. How would you feel if called on to read a tariff bill in a rapid and distinct tone, for the enlightenment of an audience of 435 members of congress and found the word "tetramethyldiaminodipheny'methane" staring you in the face? But that's what happened this week, and even the well seasoned reading clerk stuttered before he got through.

RICHARDS.

CHELMSFORD POSTOFFICE

Raymond C. Haseltine, whose appointment as postmaster for Chelmsford Centre was recently confirmed by the United States senate, has chosen Parkhurst's store as the new postoffice, the oil of the building fronting on the Lowell road to be utilized for the transaction of Uncle Sam's business.

BROADWAY CLUB SCORES

Annual Musical Revue and Dance at Associate Hall Big Success

Associate hall last night was the scene of one of the best minstrel revues of the season, the show combining an abundance of talent with the latest and liveliest songs. The occasion was the seventh annual musical revue and dance of the Broadway club, and this live-wire organization lived up to its reputation in capital style.

Starting shortly after 8 o'clock with a curtain raiser, "Pick Me Up and Lay Me Down in Dear Old Dixieland," the entire company joined in an excellent and harmonious opening overture, including "Angel Child," "Carolina Rolling Stone," "By the Old Ohio Shore," "My Mammy Knows," and "Little Grey Sweetheart of Mine."

The next number was the splendid solo, "Eileen Alanna," rendered capably by Mr. Michael Brennan. "On the Ginny Shore," an end-song, was given by Mr. Charles J. Keyes, one of the city's best black face men.

Little May Conway proved the hit of the evening in her specialty, beginning with the songs "Granny" and "I Love to Be a Sailor," and finishing with a sailor's hornpipe. The diminutive miss was roundly encored.

"When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down," was sung by Mr. David Boyle, the well known expert, followed by Mr. Daniel Brennan in a funny end-song, "Nobody Knows Where Tosti Goes," which was one of the evening's best. McGrail and Walker followed with a well executed dancing number.

Mr. Edward Donahue, Lowell's favorite tenor, was introduced as the local John McCormack, and in "Time after Time" he proved himself worthy of such a flattering introduction. Mr. James Diegnan was at his best in the end-song, "I Hold Her Hand and She Holds Mine," and won merited applause. Eccentric dancing by "Frisco's Only Rival," Mr. Jerome Tighe of Brockton, who gave an impersonation of the famous jazz king, Mr. Frisco, in some of his celebrated steps, was received with enthusiasm. A vocal duet, "When Shall We Meet Again," by Messrs. Fred Cummings and Raymond Kelly, followed, and after the applause which followed their efforts subsided, Mr. Frank McCartin, the daddy of them all as an end-man, sang and danced and brought the crowd to their feet with "The Old Town Hall." The Grand Finale, "You Can Have Every Light on Broadway," was sung by the entire company, with the solo sustained most excellently by Mr. John Spillane, the well known tenor.

Interlocutor John F. Miskell officiated capably and Musical Director Charles Miner's training was evident in every chorus number. Mr. John Quinn was stage manager, and with the co-operation of hard-working assistants, had one of the prettiest stage effects yet arrived at in local amateur minstrelsy, with lattice work and columns on the sides of the stage and in the rear a background of royal blue against which the well arranged chorus was splendidly set off, potted plants in profusion and a beautiful pink electrical arrangement overhead.

The officers in charge were: General manager, William A. Walsh; assistant manger, John V. Crowe; floor director, Daniel A. Riley; assistant floor director, Frederick A. Connors; chief aids, Dominic Molloy, Charles Clancy and Patrick J. Owens; assistants, Daniel Conkley, Daniel McNabb, John Ashe; chairman of dance committee, Timothy F. O'Sullivan, secretary of dance committee, Michael F. McCarthy; reception committee, Patrick Owens, James Heslin, Charles Clancy, John Miskell, Cornelius Riley, Bernard Callery, Patrick Gannon.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY AND SUPPER

The recent birthday party and supper conducted under the auspices of the Ladies' society of the Paige Street Baptist church was a success in every way. The attendance was large and the evening's program was very enjoyable. Twelve tables, appropriately decorated and representing each month of the year, had been arranged and every seat was taken. The tables and those in charge were as follows: The January table was in charge of Mrs Norman Phillips, assisted by Mrs. Oscar Phinney; February, Mrs. Fred Balcom, assisted by Mrs. M. Paggett; March, Mrs Charlotte McKean and Miss Nelda Cross; April, Mrs. Mattie McKean; May, Mrs. Walter Harris and Miss Helen Harris; June, Mrs. Fred Mann and Mrs. N. Houstan; July, Miss Marion Chase and Miss Myrtle Adams; August, Misses Maud and Edith Phillips; September, Miss Ruby Colburn and Miss Nettie Crafts; October, Mrs. Harold Hickey and Miss Esther Garrick; November, Mrs. Harry Pascal and Miss Stella Marshall; December, Mrs. Reith and Mrs. Robert Ellis. After the supper the children gave a Mother Goose entertainment which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Walter Chase and Mrs. Carrie Upham had charge [illegible] or. The entertainment was under the direction of Mrs Walter [illegible] assisted by Mrs. Norman Phillips.

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Joseph A. St. Hilaire, 20, 15 Second avenue, Saco-Lowell shops and Mary Mabel Lowrey, 21, 43 Jewett street, at home.

G. Russell Dana, Jr., 31, 304 Andover street, manager, and Leslie Pullen, 27, 268 Liberty street, at home.

Raymond E. Fifield, 22, 21 Cambridge street, clerk, and Alice R. McHugh, 21, 77 Fremont street, proof reader.

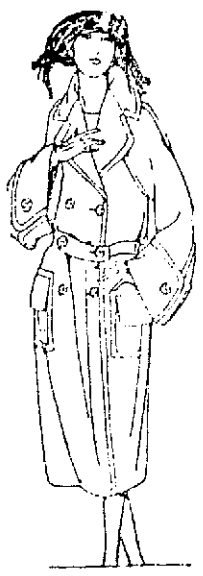
John F. Roane, Jr., 28, 46 Burtt street ice cream dealer, and Rose M. McEnaney, 28, North Chelmsford, at home.

Leo Francis Guerin, 24, 8 Arlington street, barber, and Catherine G. Dempsey, 25, 34 Bachman street, at home.

After Easter Economy Sale

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

COATS



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$8.75	$12.75
$9.75	$13.75
$10.75	$14.75

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For the woman who may not have chosen her new Spring dress up to this time or who may now want to supplement her Easter costume, comes this Economy Sale—offering dresses of distinctly high character, made in all the newest fabrics of the latest shades at prices to suit every purse. All sizes.

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AmateurBall

At a recent meeting of the Mohawks baseball team Daniel Redding and Bill Riley were chosen to lead the nine. Redding will catch and captain the outfit while Riley will pitch and act as manager. Games with any fast nine will be accepted.

The Young Nationals would like to play the Young Sluggers on the Dixwells or the dump grounds for two 35 cent balls. Phone 3669-J.

The Young Red Sox will play the Rock Street Stars this afternoon on the Bartlett school grounds for a 50 cent ball.

The Bunters accept the challenge of the Burnsides and will play that team April 30 on the Lakeview avenue grounds.

The Young Summers A.C. would like to play any team from 10-12 years old for a 35 cent ball, April 29 at the South common. Answer through this paper.

The Merrimacks will play the Bunters tomorrow afternoon on the Lakeview avenue grounds at 1.30.

The Glenmore Thirds would like to meet any 8 to 11 years old team in the city. Meet Manager Lougher between 7 and 8 o'clock.

The Centralville All Stars would like to meet the last year's St. Peter's team to accommodate the star pitcher if he means business. Call 2884-M.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

Babe Christo of this city has been matched to box Woonsocket Joe Gibbs at Woburn in two weeks and he has started training for the bout. Babe has not been very active during the past few weeks but he claims that it has been through no fault of his, as he has been in search of matches, but few men of his weight desire his game. Babe hopes to some day take on Johnny Avila for the welterweight championship of Lowell, and with this object in view he will train hard to be in perfect condition when he tackles the Woonsocket battler.

Meanwhile, Johnny Avila is engaging in light training for future matches. He is quite interested in the challenge hurled at him by Porky Diggins of Nashua and says that just as soon as he finds his injured hand has fully recovered he will accept Porky's defy.

Tommy Gibbons, who has enjoyed a rest since being defeated by Harry Greb, will get back into the ring at New Orleans on May 1, when he will tackle Harry Foley.

Deak Dodge, who has secured Puggy Morton for another bout here early next month, is having considerable difficulty getting a man to meet him. He interviewed the New England lightweight champion, Johnny Clinton, yesterday, but declares the titleholder flatly refused to meet the sensational Californian. When first asked to sign articles, Clinton said the time was too short to get into condition but when informed that the bout would be put off a couple of weeks to enable him to get into shape, Clinton came back with a final refusal. All of which goes to prove that Puggy's recent success has come to the attention of the alleged big leaguers.

It is expected that articles of agreement for a wrestling bout here early next month between Bob Johnson and Cyclone Burns will be signed within a few days. Each man will be called upon to put up $100 to guarantee his appearance for the match.

Police Officer Michael Wrenn, who is now successfully directing traffic at the busy Towers' corner, is a great believer and follower of sports. While he enjoys witnessing basketball and other games, he much prefers engaging in a friendly wrestling match or trying to improve his average at bowling. At both the popular officer can show the way to many. He is now competing in the big handicap bowling tournament and while he has yet to break into the prize money, he confidently expects to before the competition ends.

Brown Hopes To Win Fame on Track

By N.E.A. Service

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 22—Fiske Brown, All-America guard and captain of the Harvard track team, aims to establish his name as prominently in the track world this spring as it is in the annals of college football.

Brown was good enough to trail along in the weight events during his prep school days at Andover and as a member of the freshman track team.

But the young giant never took the weight-throwing game seriously enough until Bill Bingham and Jim Tolbert took him in hand.

Bingham, Harvard's track coach, provided the enthusiasm; Tolbert, the Crimson's best weight-thrower, on the eve of graduation, which would leave his college without a man in these events, supplied the technical knowledge.

No one took Brown as a serious factor in Harvard's track and field athletics until the Harvard-Yale athletes met those of Oxford and Cambridge last summer. Then he stepped into the ring, gazed upon the marks set by his competitors, and lazily heaved the 16-pound hammer 159 feet.

The Harvard tracksters selected Brown to lead them after his performance in the international college meet. He was already captain of the wrestling team, but resigned from that job to take charge of the major sport.

Brown's ambitions in football were realized when Walter Camp named him the best guard in the east. He's planning now to have the same fame at the close of the track season.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	6	2	75.0
New York	6	2	75.0
Philadelphia	4	3	57.1
Chicago	4	3	57.1
St. Louis	4	4	50.0
Boston	3	4	42.9
Washington	2	6	25.0
Detroit	1	6	14.3

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	6	1	85.7
Chicago	6	2	75.0
St. Louis	4	3	57.1
Pittsburgh	4	3	57.1
Philadelphia	3	3	50.0
Boston	2	4	33.3
Brooklyn	2	5	28.6
Cincinnati	1	7	12.5

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Philadelphia-Boston—Cold.
Chicago 10, St. Louis 5.
Detroit 15, Cleveland 7.
New York 1, Washington 0.

GAMES TOMORROW

Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Chicago at St. Louis.

GAMES MONDAY

Boston at Washington.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Boston 6, Philadelphia 4.
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 3.
New York 4, Brooklyn 1.
Pittsburgh-St. Louis—Snow.

GAMES TOMORROW

New York at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

GAMES MONDAY

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

OFFERS DEFENSE FOR COLLEGE ATHLETICS

BY J. W. HEISMAN,
Football Coach, University of Pennsylvania

There is nothing greatly wrong with college athletics.

Football and baseball scandals of some sort or other always crop out at stated intervals.

In some quarters there has been considerable sympathy for the athletes who have been suspended for professionalism. It is all wasted.

The colleges have athletic rules, just as our country has laws to govern the acts of her citizens.

These laws do not prevent people from committing crimes. When a citizen violates the laws he is usually properly penalized if his acts are discovered.

The fact that the laws do not prevent people from committing crimes does not prove that law is not a good thing, nor that in the main it is not a sufficiently drastic deterrent.

The western and eastern athletes who violated the college rules deserved the punishment that has been meted out to them. It will serve as a warning that should work for good.

Recruiting of high school players on the part of the colleges is a worse offense than a player accepting money for his service for play outside of college. It is simply professionalism on the part of the college authorities.

The alumni, rather than the college itself, is to blame. Every college seems to be doing it through the alumni, so it is not regarded as a great wrong.

I am in favor of permitting a ball player to engage in that sport for pay during the summer provided he does not play in a professional league.

I don't think a college has a right to dictate as to what a student should do during the time that he is not directly under the jurisdiction of the college.

I think that all colleges should pass a rule prohibiting a transferred student from taking part in intercollegiate athletics.

By this I mean that if a student ever took part in any intercollegiate contest in any sport, and is later transferred to some other college, he should not be permitted to take part in any intercollegiate sport at his second college.

This would effectually kill off the tramp college athlete.

The big evil in college athletics today is the assisting that the alumni give star prep athletes. I have no solution to offer on this.

KING WINS DAILY PRIZE IN TOURNAMENT

King, with a three-string total of 372, won the daily prize yesterday, in the big handicap tournament now in progress at the Crescent alleys. Dr. Horne, Dr. Bernstein and King, with a mark of 1040, jumped into the lead in the three-men class. Flanders, with a total of 381, tops all for three picked strings. The scores to date follow:

Individual—First, McCormack, 386; second, Dr. Horne, 378; third, Flanders, 368; fourth, Beauregard, 345; fifth, Hayden, 342.

Weekly, two men—First, McCormack-Flynn, 704; second, Lebrun-Johnson, 665; third, Dr. Horne-Letendre, 654; fourth, Rynne-Neland, 653.

Weekly, three men—First, King-Dr. Bernstein-Dr. Horne, 1040; second, Panton-Thurber-Flanders, 1015; third, Whitelock-Dr. Bernstein-Panton, 981.

Winners of three string total, daily—Monday, McCormack, 386; Tuesday, Flanders, 365; Wednesday, McCormack-Flanders, 363; Thursday, Dr. Horne, 378; Friday, King, 372.

High three picked strings to date, weekly—Flanders, 131, 129, 121, total, 381.

17 PICKETS ARRESTED

Jail Jammed—As Fast as Pickets Were Arrested They Handed Banners to Others

WEBSTER, April 22.—Fifteen men and two women pickets were arrested yesterday afternoon on charges of loitering when Webster police and sheriffs swooped down upon the picket line at the South village mills office of the S. Slater and Sons, Inc., where weavers have been on strike for six months in protest against the two-loom system.

As fast as the pickets were arrested they handed their banners to others, who kept up the patrol until they, too, were taken. The police stopped when six cells at the small police lockup were jammed.

Prisoners refused to be bailed, saying while they filled the cells no others could be arrested. The state board of conciliation and arbitration called the normalcy law into effect Wednesday, closing the strike officially. Pickets were then warned by police to stop their parade. They retaliated by increasing their number from two to 20.

A police guard was thrown around the lockup last night and extra police were patrolling the mill section, although the strike leaders warned sympathizers against any demonstration.

NEW YORK TEAMS ON TOP OF HEAP

Giants Win Six Straight Yesterday, With Brooklyn the Victim

Yankees, With Shawkey Pitching in Fine Form, Win Over Washington

NEW YORK, April 22—New York's champion ball teams today were on the top of the heap in their respective circuits. Keeping up the sizzling early season pace, they have been setting, the Giants yesterday won their sixth straight game, trampling on Brooklyn again, although outslugged by their Flatbush rivals. The Yankees, with Bob Shawkey's right arm working to perfection, squeezed a 1 to 0 victory from Washington, an error letting in the lone tally.

Cleveland found itself in a tie for the lead with the Yankees when Cobb's Detroit Tigers shook their losing jinx and slugged out a 15 to 7 victory. Both teams fattened their batting averages. Tris Speaker registered four bingles.

The White Sox came from behind to tie St. Louis in the ninth and smashed out six more runs in the 10th to clinch the contest.

The Cubs still are within a half game of the Giants, landing on Eppa Rixey yesterday for seven runs in the eighth and burying Cincinnati.

The Boston Braves celebrated the opening of their home season by trimming the Phillies, Boeckel and Kopf playing stellar roles in the victory.

Two new leaders in the select swatting circle appear today, Harry Heilmann of the Tigers showing to the fore in the American, while Tierney of Pittsburgh is on top in the National race.

PADDOCK WANTS EIGHT RECORDS RECOGNIZED

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—Charles W. Paddock, world champion sprinter, declared today that he intended to ask the National Amateur Athletic union to recognize as records the times he made in bettering eight world's sprint records in the Hawaiian Islands recently.

According to affidavits in Paddock's possession, the eight new world marks he made, are:

100 yards grass	9 3-5 secs.
50 yards grass	5 1-5 secs.
60 yards grass	6 2-5 secs.
50 yards	5 secs
60 yards	7 4-5 secs
120 yards	11 2-5 secs
125 yards	12 secs
175 yards	16 4-5 secs

Paddock's affidavits are signed by Hawaiian A.A.U. officials.

O'HARA UPSETS GOLF DOPE

Pat O'Hara, the the professional of the Richmond Country club of Staten Island, N. Y., sprang something of a golfing sensation at the recent north and south open championship at Pinehurst, N. C., by winning the title from a very classy field.

O'Hara turned in a score of 220 for 54 holes. The tourney was originally a 72-hole event.

O'Hara had turned in a 69 for his

PAT O'HARA

second 18 holes. Shortly after completing his rounds a terrific rain storm set in, preventing a number of other players from finishing their round. It was decided to throw all scores made in the second 18 holes into the discard.

Had the scores made in the second round stood O'Hara would have broken all records at Pinehurst with a 289 for the 72 holes.

In winning the north and south title O'Hara turned back a great field, including such cracks as Jim Barnes, Jock Hutchison, Walter Hagen, Mike Brady and Joe Kirkwood.

TRIANGULAR MEET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 22—Athletes of the naval academy, Harvard and University of Virginia came together in a triangular field and track meet on Farragut Field today. All three contestants had a strong coterie of representatives, though the Middies were a slight favorite due to their decisive triumph over Pittsburgh last Saturday. The track was heavy due to the rains of yesterday.

IF THIS PLAY COMES UP

Here's Your Decision

If with runners on first, first and second or second, the batter interferes with the catcher in fielding or throwing a ball, the batsman shall be declared out for so doing. No bases shall be run on such a play as the ball becomes dead when the batsman so interferes faith the catcher.

Y. M. C. I. TAKE SECOND GAME FROM LEGION

The Y.M.C.I. made it two straight victories over the Chelmsford legion quintet by showing the way to their "country cousins" in an exciting game of basketball at the Crescent rink, last night. The score was 19 to 14.

Several fist fights occurred during the progress of play, but cooler heads prevented any serious damage. In the excitement of play, players forgot the rules and assayed the roles of pugilists. Six men figured in these mix-ups.

Y.M.C.I. got the jump at the outset and while in the latter stages the legion men came stronger, the locals never relinquished the lead. The first period ended 7 to 0 in favor of Y.M.C.I. The second session presented a 12 to 10 count, while the sound of the final whistle found the score 19 to 14.

O'Conner and Lepper were the scoring stars for the winners, while Carll excelled for the visitors. The lineup and score:

Y.M.C.I.	LEGION
Lew, lf	rb, Pope
O'Connor, rf	lb, Bludo-Desmond
Lane, c	c, Barton
McGowan, lb	rf, Russell-Smith
Lepper, rb	lf, Carll

Summary—Score: Y.M.C.I. 19, Legion 14. Goals: By O'Connor 3, by Lepper 4, by Lew 1, by Russell 1, by Carll 3, by Pope 1. Referee: Wilson.

IN LAKE MICHIGAN

Virginia Peck, 16, of Chicago was the first fair bather to try Lake Michigan this year. She said the water was fine.

TENNIS STARS COMPETE

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Six of America's ranking tennis stars, including William T. Tilden, 2nd, Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory and Zenzo Shimidzu, member of the Japanese Davis cup team, were scheduled for exhibition matches today at the opening of the new courts of the Germantown Academy. The others who were to take part in the competition were Vincent Richards, Wallace F. Johnson, Watson M. Washburn and R. Norris Williams.

Tilden and Mrs. Mallory, national champions, were to oppose each other in the opening match.

WINS WOMEN'S TENNIS TOURNEY

Mrs. Marion Jesson, better known to the tennis world as Marion Zinderstein, has again captured the championship honors of the women's north

MARION ZINDERSTEIN JESSOP

and south tournament, recently completed at Pinehurst, N. C. Mrs. Jessop won the same title four years ago. In the finals, she defeated Martha Bayard, 6-1, 6-1.

WANT TO PLAY SACRED HEARTS

The following self-explanatory letter was received today:

To the Editor of The Sun.

Dear Sir:—By putting the following in your sporting column you will be obliging the "Aere" All Star basketball five:

Having heard that the Sacred Hearts Five could not continue their series with St. Anne's quintet on account of illness and could not find suitable opponents to open the series, I would like to meet Manager Keenan at the earliest possible time and make satisfactory arrangements to reopen the series. I would pick my team from the following who have played with some of the best teams this season: J. Barrett, T. Linehan, F. Smith, G. Ashe, A. Nowak, C. Heslin, B. O'Sullivan, J. Callahan. Thanking you for your space I remain,

Yours sincerely,

JOSEPH CLIFFORD CALLAHAN,
Manager Aere All Stars.

CLOSE OF THE FISTIC SEASON

The last bouts of the season were held in the club rooms of the Massachusetts Mills A.A. last night. All bouts were hotly contested.

The exhibitions were as follows: Young Savard vs. Kid Velga, Happy Conley vs. Mike O'Brien, Young Parker vs. Pete Rivet, Billy Conlon vs. Leo Daley, Joe Wells vs. Tip Quinn. All bouts but the last went four rounds. The latter went six rounds. No decisions were given. Eben Brennan was referee.

TEXTILE BASEBALL

The Lowell Textile baseball team played its first game of the season against the Worcester Technical team in that city. The local boys faced tough opposition as the engineers are in good form this year and already have a victory over H.L.S. Next Wednesday afternoon the Fitchburg Normal school comes here for a game.

WHEN YOU SCORE A BALL GAME

REMEMBER—

A time at bat is not charged against the batsman if he is awarded a base on balls, or for being hit by a pitched ball, or when the catcher interferes with him and he is granted first base because of the catcher's act, or when he makes a sacrifice hit.

WILLS ONLY SEEKER FOR HEAVY TITLE

BY BOB DORMAN

NEW YORK, April 22.—Jack Dempsey's European trip promises to be little more than the usual tourist sight-seeing trip.

When it is considered that this country has been unable to produce a heavyweight conceded a chance of giving the hard-hitting champion any sort of a battle it is hardly likely that Europe can do so.

England has Joe Beckett, Tom Cowler, Bombardier Wells, Albert Lloyd, Frank Goddard and George Cook, all veterans who have seen their best days with the exception of Cook, who does not rank very high, as the fast slipping Beckett stopped him the other night.

France has Carpentier, already defeated by Dempsey, Journee and Neilles. The last two are jokes.

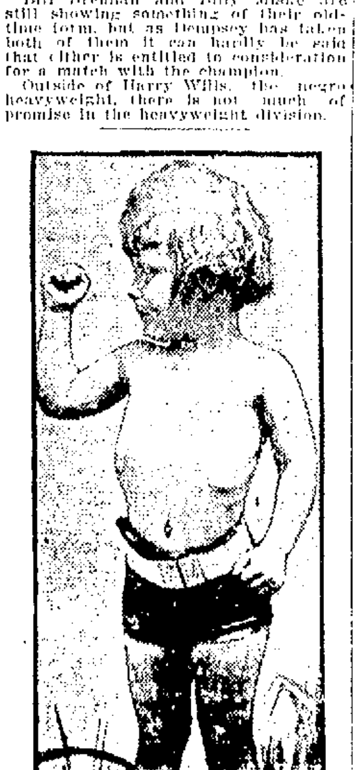
In America, among the white heavies, there is an equal dearth of material.

Most of the well-known men of recent ring history have dropped out of sight, or, if they are heard of, it is merely a line or two that they have kissed the canvas once more.

Fred Fulton, once a promising white hope, whose speed and size kept many others out of the same ring, is anybody's meat since Bartley Madden demonstrated that the ponderous plasterer had nothing anyone need be afraid of.

Bill Brennan and Billy Miske are still showing something of their old-time form, but as Dempsey has taken both of them it can hardly be said that either is entitled to consideration for a match with the champion.

Outside of Harry Wills, the negro heavyweight, there is not much of promise in the heavyweight division.



BABY SAMSON

Jackie Ott, 3, of Miami, Fla., has a chest expansion of 2½ inches, measuring 21½ normal and 24 expanded.

HARVARD HAS NOT AGREED TO SEND TEAM

BOSTON, April 22.—Fred W. Moore, graduate manager of athletics at Harvard, said today that Harvard had not arranged to send a team in 1923 to meet Oxford and Cambridge universities.

John T. McGovern, who accompanied the university runners abroad recently, was reported from London last night, as having said that Yale and Harvard would meet Oxford and Cambridge in London, in the summer of 1923, while the two English teams would have a return contest with the Americans in 1925.

Major Moore said that Harvard had made no arrangements for future track meets with the English universities, and that John T. McGovern was not empowered to make arrangements for Harvard's participation in the events.

The possibility of a home and home arrangement whereby one meet would be held every two years, was discussed when the English athletes were here last summer, Mr. Moore said, but nothing definite has come of the discussion.

B. C. FRESHMEN WIN WITHOUT RUNNING

NEWTON, April 22.—Without moving a step, the freshman relay team of Boston college yesterday won the championship in the mile event at the inter-class track and field meet.

The sophomores, juniors and seniors, recognizing the prowess of the youngsters, gave them the victory without contest, turning their activities as individuals to other events.

Art Kirley, winner of the inter-class 440 and 880; Louis Welch, winner of the mile; Walter Nolan, fast quarter miler; Phil Dillon, another quarter man and Herb Flanegan, winner of the handicap 660, were all available for the freshman relay.

Gold medals were awarded for the "victory."

CHALLENGE ROUND HAS DISAPPEARED

BOSTON, April 22.—The challenge round in major tennis competitions in this country has disappeared. It became known today that by action of the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis association, the condition of play by which the winner of the Longwood bowl of one season stood out in the competition of the succeeding year, meeting only the winner of All-Comers' tournament in the challenge round, is done away with. This classic event in tennis singles this season and hereafter will be decided with the previous winner playing through.

The probable effect of this action on the play which begins July 17 will be to have W. W. Johnston of San Francisco and W. T. Tilden, 2nd, of Philadelphia, in opposite halves of the draw. Johnston retired one Longwood bowl with three victories two years ago and gained a leg on a new trophy that year standing out to meet the tournament inner. Tilden, world champion, has never competed in this event and the meeting of the country's two best tennis players under the new conditions is expected to develop unusual competition.

ROLLER SKATING RACES AT KASINO

Great interest is being manifested in the roller skating races to be held at the Kasino next week, beginning Wednesday and the warmest kind of contests are looked for. The race between Al Nebes and Hamilton of Portland, Me., will be the big attraction. Hamilton defeated Nebes in Rockland, Me., a few days ago and Nebes wants another whack at him at his (Nebes') own grounds, the Kasino. After the race in Rockland, Hamilton promised Al that he would come to Lowell for another race and negotiations are now underway. Nebes says there is no doubt about Hamilton's coming and he feels that he will get square with him for the defeat administered in the Pine Tree state. The program of races will appear later.

$300,000 SUIT AGAINST PILOT

BOSTON, April 22.—Testimony in the suit for $300,000 damages against Russell Rotch, a New Bedford pilot, as a result of the grounding of the Portuguese steamer Sao Vicente last year, was concluded in the admiralty court today. Rotch testified that the steamer went ashore because his orders were not properly executed. He added that he heard no word of English spoken on the boat.

The lookout would have assisted him had there been one, the pilot declared.

UNDER TREATMENT FOR DOG BITES

The four Lowell people now under treatment for dog bites in connection with which examination showed that the animals in question were infected with rabies, will continue to receive vaccine injections for 21 days.

Accompanying the serum secured from New York is a chart of treatment, outlining not only the length of time the patient must be kept under treatment, but also specifying the amount of vaccine to be used daily. This is proportioned in cubic centimeters and varies with the progress of the case. It is being given out by the board of health agent at city hall.

STOLE IRON PICKETS

Despite the vigilance of a night watchman, who is employed by the city to keep tabs on that portion of Aiken street between Ford and Moody streets, where smooth paving is done, 31 large iron pickets were stolen from the street some time during last night. These pickets were used in the grading of the street and were driven in a cement foundation. The theft was reported to the police this morning.

NATIONAL AMERICAN ATHLETIC FEDERATION

NEW YORK, April 22.—Final plans were to be formulated today for the launching of the National American Athletic Federation at the concluding session of a two days' gathering of representatives of the International Y.M.C.A., National Collegiate Athletic association, Boy Scouts, Army and Navy athletic boards, and other important groups.

The meeting was to consider this morning the tentative draft of a constitution and by-laws for the proposed federation recommended yesterday as a means of co-ordinating practically all important athletic activity in the country.

Purposes of the federation, as outlined by officials, include centralizing under standardized rules of all amateur games and competition, promoting physical education, and encouraging participation of the United States in the Olympic games.

Sponsors of the N.A.A.F. assert it does not aim at control of amateur athletics but rather the encouragement of them on a larger scale than ever before.

BOWLING TOURNAMENTS

Members of the American Legion auxiliary will gather in the Crescent alleys next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock for the first of a series of bowling tournaments.

$1000 IN PRIZES
Handicap Bowling Tournament
Every Day at Crescent Alleys.
Roller Skating—Crescent Rink
Tonight—Admission Free

HERO

A report of the bravery of D. Webb of the U.S.S. Orion has been sent to the navy department by Admiral Andrews. Webb saved a woman and three children in the fire that made 1000 homeless at Norfolk, Va.

Flower Day a Big Success

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the girls for more flowers were of such a nature that he immediately phoned a rush order into Boston and the consignment arrived here early this afternoon by special delivery. It was stated at headquarters that the day would not be officially brought to a close until the 17,000 buds had all been sold.

In the bevy of girls, who cheerfully volunteered their services, there were no less than seven nationalities represented. The girls were assigned to their respective posts by John Hanley, who is in charge of the strike and whose duties today were confined to the outside. Some of the more active among the workers set out to visit the various office buildings in the vicinity of the square, while others worked in the streets.

The first girl to report at headquarters was Miss Susie Nason and she proved a real hustler for at 7.15 o'clock she was on the job and at 11.30 o'clock she returned to the office of the strikers empty-handed as far as the flowers went, but with a box well filled with money. In the course of the following half-hour no less than thirty of the workers reported with the usual saying "All sold out." The girls were told to go to dinner and return in the early afternoon, but those who were on duty in the vicinity of the mill gates expressed their sorrow at not being able to stick to their posts and sell their flowers to the operatives.

"The way the public is responding to our call," said Mr. Hanley this noon, "makes us feel that we are fighting a noble cause as we take their generous offerings as a silent approval of the strike."

The following girls were engaged in the sale of flowers: Susie Nason, May Burns, Mildred Meehan, Esther Meehan, Helen DeGeorge, Alberta Richardson, Gladys Richardson, Mary Stimpson, Anna Stimpson, Sarah Armstrong, Florida Baron, Mary Quinn, Josephine McCahey, Anna Didomenico, Ida Didomenico, Mary Lapore, Theresa Lapore, May Hammar, Theresa Durkin, Margaret Mello, Ellen Cryan, Hilda Logan, Mary Murphy, Margaret Rynne, Alice Rynne, Marion Irwin, Julia Nickerson, Mazla Perry, Esther Mitchell, Mary Lynch, Mary Davis, Emma Hardy, Gladys Hardy, Mary Lowe, Margaret Stansfield, Alice Baldwin, Elizabeth Kelly, Alice Kelly, Agnes Mullarkey, Sarah Grand, Grace Boczar, Mary Janocla, Angeline Mellen, Ollie Brown, Anna Tobin, Rose Bernardini, Honora Smith, Jane Bourque, Mary Curredon, Margaret Duffy, Annie Lennan, Mary Kennedy, Abbie Bassett, Eva Halle, Mary E. Courtney, Marie Ladoute, Georgianna Ladoute and Edna Clifford.

The six local young women who went to Clinton Thursday, spent yesterday in that town collecting funds for the local strikers and they returned to this city in time this morning to lend a hand in the local activities. They reported that the donations were very substantial despite the fact that this was the third or fourth time that the operatives of that town had been appealed to.

Parents Join in Search

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been discontented, and the theory is advanced that she may have left the seminary to go to work to earn money with which to go to the middle west, where she has brothers and sisters.

May Have Gone West

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 22.—Emma Safford, who is missing from Northfield seminary, made her home with friends in this city. She came here from the Middle West with recommendations from friends and for a time assisted in doing housework. She was sent to Northfield to take a special course. During a visit here in March, she expressed discontent with her studies and intimated that her relatives in the Middle West desired her to return to them. She also gave the impression that she would return west as soon as she could.

Brother Joins in Search

SPRINGFIELD, April 22.—A brother of Miss Beatrice Hollinshead, who is missing from Northfield seminary, visited the police here today to enlist support in the search for his sister. Mr. Hollinshead, who is a Y.M.C.A. worker in New York, expressed the belief that his sister and Miss Safford had started on a hiking trip to Miss Safford's former home in Ohio. He said they had expressed a desire to do this and might have chosen the Easter vacation as an opportune time. He scouted the idea that the girls had gone away in an automobile. Mr. Hollinshead did not tell the police the name of his family's home town.

BAD BREATH
Comes from Biliousness

So does a bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, dull headache, and unhealthy yellowish skin, these symptoms all tell the story of a disordered system and your immediate need of a purely vegetable corrective to prevent infection and a sick spell.

TAKE SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS To-Night
At all Druggists 25¢ a box
Sugar Coated or Uncoated
Over 80 Years the Standard

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"Fruit-a-tives" the Marvelous Fruit Medicine Cured After Specialists Failed

Another "Fruit-a-tives" Triumph

Elba, New York.

I suffered with Eczema in my face for five years. I tried several doctors, two of whom were specialists on Skin Diseases, and got no help whatever.

Last April, I read an advertisement about Dr. E. N. Olzendam of Dover, N. H., being completely relieved of a stubborn case of Eczema similar to mine by the use of "Fruit-a-tives" and "Sootha-Salva."

On May 1, I began using these fruit juice tablets and after two weeks I saw improvement. On June 1, I began using "Sootha Salva" and by the first of August I was completely cured.

I can now work on the hottest days in summer and get my blood heated and the Eczema does not bother me.

RAY W. SPEED.

In all the history of medicine, there has never been another treatment for Eczema, Rashes and other skin diseases to compare with the peculiar extract of fruit juices found in "Fruit-a-tives." This famous fruit medicine, used in connection with "Sootha-Salva" is the ideal combination to purify the blood insure sound digestion, correct constipation, and soothe and heal the inflamed, itching skin.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—Adv.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

All-Star Bill Will Feature Third of Century Jubilee of the B. F. Keith Enterprises—Sunday Program

The inimitable Charles "Chic" Sale will grace the top of the bill at the B. F. Keith theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening, giving his now famous series of rural portraits. Nobody else on the stage quite approaches this man in his artistry. Burke and Durkin will also be on the bill for the day, and Art Hall and Abe Shapiro, and Millard and Marlin will add plenty of variety. Others will be Flo and Ollie Walters, Bessye Clifford and Marie Murray.

On Monday the third of a century mark of the B. F. Keith theatres will have been reached, and gala bills will be put on in every Keith theatre of the entire continent. Lowell will get one of these. It will probably rate as high as any bill of the current season for general power to entertain. Jay Dillon and Betty Parker will be the leaders in the entertainment crew of the week. Their special vehicle is "Nic-Nacs of Now," and it is a most amusing combination of song and dance, paraded in a splendid manner.

Marguerita Padula will give a study of boys. She is an artistic entertainer with a most gracious personality. She sings, plays and whistles, and these abilities are shown admirably in her song study of boys. She has hit, not upon a new ideal, but upon a mighty fascinating way of bringing out her idea. Everybody who watches it will grant that.

Something new in the musical comedy line is "The Three of Us" which will be given by Charles Harrison and Sylvia Dakin, assisted by Billy Hogue at the piano. Mr. Harrison is the creator of this piece of entertainment, and a specially good bit of work has he done in his creation. Harrison and Dakin have been with several very popular musical comedies.

Arthur Astill, mimic and ventriloquist, brings in a dairymaid for his specially good work. He has dressed up ventriloquism in a fantastic costume. A novelty of novelties will be contributed by Frank Ward and Dollies. He has real dolls and he will "bring the house down" with his antics—and theirs.

The dancing Kennedys are just out of a Weber and Fields show, and they are very snappy, while Van Cello and Mary do startling "foot feats."

THE STRAND

Bigger and Better Picture Programs the Order of the Day at the Strand—Great Bill for Next Week

The spring policy of bigger and better programs is again reflected in the bill arranged by The Strand for the coming week. For the first three days of the week, starting with matinee on Monday will include Alice Lake in "The Hole in the Wall," and Will Rogers in his newest comedy drama, "A Poor Relation." Besides these two features there will be the usual comedy and International Weekly, as well as special musical numbers by Signor de Cesare, the theatre soloist. For the last three days of the week, starting with matinee on Thursday, Tom Mix in "Trailin'" and Marie Prevost in "Don't Get Personal" will be featured.

For the Sunday concert the management has again provided an excellent menu of high-grade vaudeville acts and an entire change of pictures.

"The Hole in the Wall," Fred Jackson's startling melodrama that gave Broadway a lot of unexpected thrills a season or two ago, has been visualized for the screen and in it is Miss Alice in the starring role. It's a story of the underworld, the spirit world and the society world. It concerns itself with the adventures of Jean Oliver, daughter of a Boston banker, who flees to New York in the disgrace of her father's suicide, after an embezzlement indictment. She obtains a position as social secretary to the wealthy Mrs. Ramsey, whose son becomes infatuated with her. The mother, in fury, plants jewelry in the girl's trunk, and she is arrested for the theft of the property. In jail she picks up the acquaintance of some swindlers and agrees with them that on her release she will pose as "Madame Mysteria," a fake spiritualist medium, in her exchange for that betrayment to Ulmar Mrs. Ramsey's grandson. Jean, in revenge, plans to bring up the boy a criminal. It is a story packed with dynamic emotions, and carries through to a smashing climax at the close. Miss Lake is wonderful in her characterization of the girl.

Those who have seen or heard of Edward E. Rose's famous comedy, "A Poor Relation," will be delighted to know that this successful play has been made into a photoplay with Will Rogers featured in the starring role. The part of the poor relation, Noah Vale, a town character who is both philosopher and inventor, fits the acting methods and the temperament of Mr. Rogers wonderfully well. It is said to be one of the best roles of his career. He is to receive the support of a competent cast including Sylvia Breamer, Molly Malone, Sydney Ainsworth and others. Advance reviews on the picture indicate that it is a worth-while comedy drama.

Tom Mix, the star cowboy, screen artist, is to appear in his latest picture creation, "Trailin'," as one of the features for the last part of the week, starting Thursday. The story involves a deep mystery affecting several lives, and is based on Max Brand's novel of the same name. Mix is first discovered in a drawing room with his wealthy father, and those who have never seen the star in a Tuxedo will be curious to see him in something other than a cowboy suit. Mix shows them several things, including a new brand of horsemanship, some novel gun-play and other stunts. Miss Eva Novak, as handsome and fascinating as ever, plays opposite the star.

There's a new kind of a flapper seen in "Don't Get Personal," the starring vehicle for Marie Prevost. The story is by I. R. Ving and Doris Schroeder, and concerns a young and fascinating girl of the great white way who strays into the peaceful paths of a millionaire's country estate. What she learns there would make the average girl look like a piker in the way of worldly knowledge. The reason for this sudden acquisition of knowledge is that the sweet thing tries to save a harmless young man from the wiles of an alluring vamp. Why she does it—Cupid only knows—and Cupid is too mad to talk about it. Miss Prevost is as charming as ever, while the supporting cast has T. Roy Barnes and others of equal screen ability. The usual comedy and International Weekly will help round out an unusually strong bill for the week-end. Don't miss it.

A special feature for Tuesday night will be general dancing, to music by a jazz orchestra, in the lobby of the theatre, immediately after the performance. Every patron who attends is cordially invited to remain and enjoy the pleasures of the dance.

RIALTO THEATRE

A moving picture bill that will speak for itself without any flourishes is the announcement coming from the Rialto theatre regarding its booking for the three first days of the coming week. The feature attraction is the R. A. Walsh production, entitled "The Oath," which is ably supported by another smashing attraction, "The Cave Girl," also a comedy and the Kinograms. It is needless to say anything about this booking, but we strongly advise you to see it for yourself.

Katherine Macdonald, known as the American beauty of the screen, and little Wesley (Freckles) Barry form the two leading characters of the picture, "Stranger Than Fiction," which is booked for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. "The Journey's End" is another of the same booking.

For Sunday the Rialto is having "Polly With a Past," also "The White Youth," with an all-star cast. Some first class vaudeville will finish the program.

OPERA HOUSE

"The Shifters," a Company of High Class Musical Comedy Stars Will Entertain at the Opera House Next Week

Another solid week of merrymaking and fun is assured the patrons of the Opera House commencing Monday next when "The Shifters"—a company of high-class musical comedy stars will open an engagement for the week. The week's engagement will include performances every afternoon and night excepting Tuesday evening.

"The Shifters" are described as "a jazzy and jovial collection of boys and girls—all clever and clean, who know how to entertain and whose reputation for giving the very best that the musical comedy stage has to offer, is well known in theatrical circles of the east. The principal funmaker of the incoming company is the popular French Canadian dialect comedian, Al Lemon, who is well and favorably known here. He has developed into a dancer of remarkable skill and has become sufficiently proficient that a challenge is issued for him to meet any or all dancers from near or far, during the coming engagement. Marie Camilla, the prima donna of note, possessing a splendid voice and great personal magnetism, heads the list of sweet singers, among whom are Lillian Ray, a dashing soubrette. Bob Jewett, Bob Ellsworth and others of equal note on the musical stage. The chorus is made up of some of Broadway's favorite entertainers, whose chorus work and dancing earned them merited recognition from some of the biggest New York critics. Owner Schaake has again made a real ten strike in securing "The Shifters" and the patronage will surely agree that he is selecting them with rare judgment. The swagger chorus of singing and dancing beauties help materially to make the offering one of real worth. A special car load of scenery and electrical effects, and a wealth of wardrobe will also contribute materially to the entertaining powers of the presentation. Don't forget to get your tickets well in advance. It will eliminate all possibility for disappointment. And above all else, be sure and come early in the week. The show changed for the last three days of the week. Box office open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

KEITH'S THEATRE

"Schooldays," a specialty of mirth-provoking quality, was presented by the performers at Keith's theatre at the close of the regular performance yesterday afternoon. The artists enjoyed themselves immensely, giving comic speeches and executing eccentric movements for the edification of the audience.

The specially matinee was put on for the benefit of the National Vaudeville Artists' insurance fund, and the proceeds of the performance will go into the treasury of the national headquarters for relief work among the artists who need assistance because of age or for any other reason; a similar action was taken throughout the country yesterday. "Chic" Sale explained the movement before the act began.

The performance lasted about a half-hour, with everybody except the acrobats participating. James Burke was the school teacher, and his work was characterized by German dialect of a high order. The pupils were: Girls: Flo and Ollie Walters, Miss Marlin and Bessye Clifford Boys: "Chic" Sale, Abe Shapiro, Art Hall and Jack Millard. Miss Durkin took part in the act at the beginning. Comedy honors were shared by Sale and Shapiro. It was difficult, however, to award the palm in this specialty. Chorus singing and rapid-fire fun making were very much in evidence. "Chic" Sale received apparently severe treatment, which should make his face and head rather sore.

The large audience was much enthused by the little comedy act, admitting that the innovation had been well worth witnessing.

THE BICKER FAMILY

TRIO RELEASED ON BAIL

Were Serving Sentences in Sing Sing Prison for Criminal Anarchy

NEW YORK, April 22.—Isaac Ferguson; Charles E. Ruthenberg and Benjamin Gitlow, serving sentences in Sing Sing prison for criminal anarchy, were released on bail by Judge Cardozo of the court of appeals today on a certificate of reasonable doubt, pending appeals from their convictions. Bail for Ferguson, a former Chicago lawyer, and Ruthenberg, once socialist candidate for governor of Ohio, was fixed at $5000 each. That for Gitlow, a former New York assemblyman, was set at $7500.

The Nesmith Fund Problem

Continued

fore the supreme court justices for consideration.

Mr. Tarbox asked this:

"Do you consider that it is constitutionally legal for any body of men who may constitute the city government for a particular year to bind the city to pay a specified rate of interest on a loan forever?"

"Six per cent" and the word "forever" both appear in the original orders or resolutions creating the funds, passed by the city government of 1870.

Further investigation today into the disappearance of the principal of the funds from the city's books, brought many interesting details to light.

In the first place, there were two funds, one of $25,000 passed by the city council in November, 1870, as Resolution No. 57, and the other for $1900, passed in the council as Resolution No. 54, in April of that same year.

The $25,000 fund carried the provisions that after the acceptance of the principal, interest at the rate of 6 per cent. should be paid forever to the trustees of the fund and that they in their turn, pay to the Ministry-at-Large or to like people, as they might decide; said money to be used for people in temporary need of charity, without distinction of race, color or religion. The trustees named were A. K. Chadwick, A. G. Cumnock, Thomas Nesmith and George R. Chandler. Interest, amounting to $1500, was to be paid semi-annually.

The $1000 fund also provided for 6 per cent. interest payments forever, the money to be paid to the High Street Congregational church and used by the pastor and deacons of that church, to sustain the Sunday school and its library. The city of Lowell was appointed trustee of this fund.

Records show that the last interest payments made from both funds occurred in March, 1918.

On May 31, 1918, Everett E. Tarbox, engaged to make the annual audit of the city books, gave a written opinion to James E. Donnelly, then commissioner of finance, to the effect that it should be determined at once whether or not the funds that had been expended for general city expenses were trust funds and should be restored, or whether they were perpetual loans.

Subsequently City Solicitor William D. Regan submitted an opinion to Commissioner Donnelly to the effect that the city was not obliged to continue payments and thereafter no payments were or have been made.

In the opinion rendered Commissioner Donnelly by Mr. Tarbox, the latter says:

"In 1914 the city of Lowell had four different trust or investment funds which had been expended for general expenses of the city, as follows:

"Jonathan Tyler fund, $10,000; Thos. Nesmith fund, $25,000; Thomas Nesmith High Street church fund, $1000; Carney high school medal fund, $200. Total, $36,200.

"In my opinion these funds should have been restored during the year of 1914 in compliance with chapter 634, acts of 1913, that in part, read as follows:

"'During the year 1914 every city or town which has at the time when this act takes effect outstanding notes payable on demand, or which has expended for general expenses trust funds which have not been restored, shall provide for the restoration of such trust funds in the tax levy for 1914.'

"The city did not take cognizance of the act and during 1914 tried to negotiate a loan for the amount of these four funds, but attorneys for the First National bank of Boston gave an opinion that both Nesmith funds were perpetual loans and did not constitute a trust fund, for the restoration of which money could be borrowed under the statutes."

The opinion goes on to say that the result was that $10,000 was borrowed and the Jonathan Tyler fund was restored. Cash for the Carney medal fund was raised by taxation, as is the present method.

Continuing, the opinion says:

"During 1915, while making an annual city audit, I found that three of these funds had not been restored and I immediately called it to the attention of Finance Commissioner William W. Duncan.

"I understand that he endeavored to obtain a legal opinion from the then city solicitor as to the relation of the funds to Chapter 634, but I have been unable to discover that such an opinion ever was rendered.

"Now, in 1918, the condition of the funds is the same as in 1916.

"I feel duty bound to bring this matter to your attention. Either these three funds are trust funds and as such should be restored by the city, or they are perpetual loans."

The opinion terminates with the following question:

"Do you consider that it is constitutionally legal for any body of men who may constitute the city government for a particular year, to bind the city to pay a specified rate of interest on a loan forever?"

TANKER AGROUND IN DRAW; TRAFFIC DELAYED

FALL RIVER, April 22.—Tanker Swift Star of the New England Oil Refinery fleet, went aground in the draw of the Slades Ferry bridge at 6 o'clock this morning, and at 11 a.m. was still holding up all street car and Consolidated railroad traffic over the tracks which cross the bridge. The tanker is clear of the bridge on both sides, but her nose is deep in the mud to the north of the bridge and not until a portion of her cargo has been lightered will she be floated and the bridge opened to traffic.

The Swift Star, Captain James P. Stephenson, cleared from Tampico, Mexico, April 12. She was in charge of Pilot Thomas MacDonald of Newport when she went aground this morning.

N. H. CONFERENCE OF M. E. CHURCH

LAWRENCE, April 22.—At today's session of the New Hampshire conference of the Methodist Episcopal church a committee that is studying a proposed merger of the New Hampshire and Vermont conference reported progress, and it was voted that the committee continue its work and that the Vermont conference be notified of the attitude of the local conference.

It was voted to send resolutions on the persecutions of the Christians in Armenia to Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes.

Rev. R. T. Wolcott of Sunapee, N. H., was reappointed field secretary of the Preachers' Aid society.

A committee, including two local pastors, was appointed to draw up a statement regarding the textile strike, the same to be acted upon at the closing session on Monday.

RIALTO

MON., TUES., WED.
— IN —
Miriam Cooper
THE OATH
Companion Feature
"THE CAVE GIRL"
With An All-Star Cast
SUNDAY
Double Feature, Vaudeville

New JEWEL Theatre

Big Sunday Program
THOMAS MEIGHAN in
"Civilian Clothes"
The good luck star in an entertaining comedy-drama—7 acts.

Second Big Feature
ZEENA KEEFE in
"The Amateur Widow"
Five acts of fun and romance.

Comedy: "BLOWING BUBBLES"
Latest International News

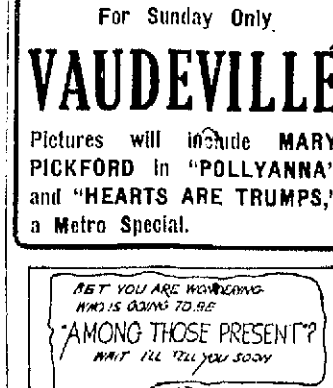
Monday and Tuesday
BIG SPECTACULAR PRODUCTION
"WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME"
A nine-act story with a big, vital, timely theme. Starring beautiful ANNA Q. NILSSON.

CROWN THEATRE

SUNDAY
The famous baseball star,
TY COBB
"Somewhere in Georgia"
(6 Reels)
SPECIAL—"COINCIDENCE"
COMEDY and WEEKLY
Monday and Tuesday
"2 WISE WIVES"
Big Paramount Super Special

ROYAL

For Sunday Only
VAUDEVILLE
Pictures will include MARY PICKFORD in "POLLYANNA" and "HEARTS ARE TRUMPS," a Metro Special.



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JAY A DAINTILY PACKED BUNDLE BETTY
Dillon & Parker
In "NIC-NACS OF NOW"

ARTHUR ASTILL And Dairymaid Mimic and Ventriloquist
FRANK WARD & DOLLIES Appearing In His Original Creation

Nifty Musical Absurdity
CHARLES SYLVIA
HARRISON & DAKIN
Present "THE THREE OF US"

DANCING KENNEDYS In Their Own Creations
VAN CELLO & MARY "Foot Feats"

SHE CAPTURES ATTENTION
Marguerita Padula
SONG STUDY OF BOYS

Pathe News Topics of the Day Aesop's Fables

2.30 P. M.—TOMORROW'S BILL—7.30 P. M.
Charles "Chic" Sale, Burke & Durkin, Hall & Shapiro, Millard & Marlin, Flo & Ollie Walters, Bessye Clifford, Marie Murray, and Pictures.

— LOWELL — OPERA HOUSE

TONIGHT POSITIVELY LAST TIME
TOMMY LEVENE'S FROLICS OF 1922

THE REIGN OF MUSICAL COMEDY CONTINUES
NEXT WEEK Beginning at Matinee Monday, Matinee Daily—Every Night but Tuesday.

The Prince of French Canadian Comedians
AL LEMON
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INCOMPARABLE CHORUS OF MAGNETIC MAIDENS
In Captivating Costumes and Superb Scenic Settings

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RESERVED SEATS NOW ON SALE
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TEXTILE STRIKES CUT EMPLOYMENT IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The effect of the New England cotton mill strike is indicated in employment statistics made public yesterday by the bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor for the month of March. A violent decrease in both numbers of workers and total wages paid in 59 cotton manufacturing establishments is shown as compared with February last and with March, 1921. However, an increase in employment and total payroll is noted in reports from 17 cotton finishing establishments.

The figures made public yesterday show an increase in employment in the men's clothing industry, but decreases in hosiery and underwear and silk. Statistics for the woolen industry are omitted from the report being incomplete at the date of compilation.

As compared with the previous month of February, employes in cotton manufacturing establishments decreased 28.5 per cent, while total payrolls decreased 33 per cent. As compared with March a year ago, total payroll last month decreased 32.6 per cent, while employes decreased 26 per cent.

Increase in Finishing

Seventeen cotton finishing establishments reported for March an increase in workers of 2.3 per cent, as compared with February last, and an increase of 4.5 per cent as compared with March, 1921. Total payrolls decreased, however, 6.6 per cent during the year and increased 4.9 per cent over the previous month.

Hosiery and Underwear

Sixty-four hosiery and underwear manufacturers for March reported a decrease in employes of 2 per cent and an increase of wages of 1.6 per cent as compared with February preceding. An increase in workers of 43.3 per cent and of total payrolls of 48.3 per cent is noted as compared with March a year ago.

Silk

Forty-four silk establishments reported slight change over the preceding month, workers decreasing 2 per cent and payrolls 5 per cent. As compared with March a year ago, workers increased 4.4 per cent and payrolls decreased 8.5 per cent.

Clothing

The number of workers employed by 48 men's clothing establishments increased 3.4 per cent, as compared with February, and 19.7 per cent as compared with March, 1921, it is indicated. Total payrolls increased 1.5 per cent over the previous month and decreased 1.2 per cent over the same month a year ago.

During the period Feb. 15 to March 15 wage changes in the textile industry were reported to the bureau as follows:

Cotton Manufacturing

The wages of all employes in three establishments were reduced, two plants being cut 10 per cent and one plant 20 per cent. Owing to the industrial dispute in some sections of the country, the volume of employment in this industry showed a decrease and the per capita earnings were 6.3 per cent less for March than for February.

Cotton Finishing

No changes in wage rates were reported for this period. The per capita earnings showed an increase of 2.5 per cent when February and March figures were compared.

Hosiery and Underwear

A 5 per cent bonus was granted to 65 per cent of the employes in one mill. When the per capita earnings for March were compared with those for February, an increase of 1.8 per cent was found.

Men's Ready Made Clothing

All employes in one establishment were reduced 10 per cent in wages. A decrease of 1.8 per cent in per capita earnings was indicated when February and March payrolls were compared.

HULTMAN SUPPLIES NAMES TO GOV. COX

BOSTON, April 22.—Chairman Eugene C. Hultman of the commission on the necessaries of life has been requested by Gov. Cox to name the persons who have threatened his position as a result of his activities in the public interest against certain property owners.

While Mr. Hultman declined to make any statement on this matter yesterday, it is known that he has answered the governor's request by giving him the names of the persons concerned and telling the details of the threats made against him.

Governor Cox will probably make a public statement today regarding the matter.

KILLED HER HUSBAND

Woman, Convicted of Manslaughter, Placed on Nine Years' Probation

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Mrs. Julia Johnstone, tried for the murder of her husband, Thomas P. Johnstone, at their Long Beach home, last summer and convicted of manslaughter, yesterday was placed on nine years' probation by Judge Russ Avery of the Los Angeles superior court.

According to Mrs. Johnstone, her husband was a gambler and bootlegger. She asked him for the sake of their little daughter, to work legitimately, she said. He refused. Later they quarreled and she shot him.

GUEST SOCIAL AT NORMAL SCHOOL

The third guest social of the year was held in the assembly hall of the Lowell Normal school last evening, and was largely attended by the students and their friends. The arrangements were in the hands of Miss Kathleen Hart of Andover, chairman of the social committee, assisted by other committees, the chairmen of which are Mabel McKay, Lowell; Margaret Weed Lowell; Doris Barrie, Lawrence, and Dorothy Hill, Lowell.

Next Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, the 11th lecture in the series on "Progressive Movements in Education" will be held in the assembly hall, when Mr. Carl L. Schrader, state supervisor of physical education, will talk on "The Place of Physical Education in the Modern Schools." All persons interested are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Inez Field Damon and most of the students in the supervisor's course in music left today for Springfield, where they will attend the eastern conference of music supervisors during the coming week.

Miss Josephine Chute of the department of drawing spent yesterday in the Fitchburg Normal school, attending a conference on art education called by the state department of education.

HELD ANNUAL DANCE AND ENTERTAINMENT

The first annual dance and entertainment under the auspices of District 4 Fire company of Dracut, was held last evening in Grange hall, Centre village and was very largely attended, a large number of the guests being residents of the Kenwood district, where the company headquarters is located.

In the early evening concert numbers were given by an orchestra and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour, refreshments being served during intermission.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Arthur W. Pilotte, chairman; Charles Wallwork, secretary-treasurer; William Jubinville and George DeGuise. The officers of the evening were Joseph Murphy, general ma[illegible] Tom Viator, floor director; J[illegible] McMahon, [illegible]ank Anghen, Wil[illegible] King[illegible]erly and William [illegible]ole, aids.

MASH MAY RUIN LYNN SEWERS

LYNN, April 22.—The residue of home-made liquor, commonly called mash, is obstructing the city's sewerage system. According to Supt. of Streets John R. Graham, the sewers have been clogged by the mash. The mash, with other refuse, forms a cementlike substance which prevents the sewage from flowing. Unless the nuisance is abated the street commissioner claims the sewer system will be ruined.

Mayor McPhetres yesterday issued orders to Chief of Police Thomas M. Burckes to investigate the matter. Chief of Police Burckes has been instructed to order the liquor squad to ascertain the exact location of the clogged sewers and whenever mash is found to be the cause of this condition, residents in the section where the nuisance exists will be closely watched.

WILL EXTEND RETAINING WALL

The Wamesit Power Co. has agreed to extend the retaining wall that is to be erected along the Auditorium side of the Concord river, as far as the buildings of the Sawyer Carriage Co. With the exception of this short stretch the wall will be built by the city.

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First Pictures of Genoa Conference

A great demonstration took place when Lloyd George arrived at Genoa with Mrs. George and their daughter, Miss Megan. Signor Schanzer, right, was at the station to greet them.

First picture to arrive in America of Russian delegates to the Genoa conference. This delegation, headed by Tchitcherin, is the center of attention. Left to right, Rosenberg, Tchitcherin's press chief, Narimanof, Divani, Begzadjan, Sapronow and Sabinin.

MOVE TO AMERICANIZE NAVIGATING CHARTS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Publication in a British semi-official circular of the assertion that American records "show that there are 1200 points on the globe which can be reached only by use of British admiralty charts," brought the statement today from Capt. P. B. Bassett, hydrographer of the navy that out of the 4341 navigating charts of the world on issue through his office to the navy and merchant marine, 1109 are of British production. It was indicated at the department that a new effort to Americanize completely the issue would be made as a step deemed essential not only for naval purposes, but in fostering the merchant fleets.

It has been estimated that a complete American chart set of the navigable waters of the world could be perfected in five years at an annual cost of $100,000 a year, and that $50,000 a year annually thereafter would take care of the corrections.

The new work cannot be undertaken except by congressional authority.

New System of Handling Cases

Continued

calling of cases in which continuances were to be asked right in the midst of the prepared trial docket. Much time has been lost in this manner. Members of the bar and prosecuting officials expressed satisfaction at the manner in which the legal machinery moved today.

As is the usual Saturday custom, a number of liquor cases were listed for trial. The defendants in the majority of cases pleaded guilty.

Charles P. Danas pleaded guilty to operating a motor car without a license and was fined $25. This was his second offense. Danas was warned by the court that a third offense meant both a fine and a jail sentence. Officer Kivlin testified that Danas was driving an auto down East Merrimack street at a terrific rate of speed when apprehended.

Marcin Sopel pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping. Sentence was suspended for a week while his home circumstances were investigated. The court first imposed a fine of $100 and two months in jail. This was later changed to $150 upon a recommendation of Sergt. Winn. Sopel has been in court before, charged with an illegal sale. A half an hour later it was reported to the court that Sopel had two small children and would be unable to pay the fine. The court said that he did not want to take Sopel from his family. The sentence was revoked pending investigation.

Thomas T. Frenette pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping and was fined $100 which he paid.

Charles Czyras pleaded guilty to assault and battery upon his wife. Through an interpreter he told the court that his wife seldom gave him anything to eat. He claimed that when she did put food on the table he was afraid to eat it for fear that it contained poison. The court ordered the case continued to Monday. He also ordered the defendant to be examined this afternoon relative to his mental condition.

The cases against Carl Castor and Fred J. Richards, the two local young men who stole three autos and broke into six stores here a month ago, were called. Owing to the fact that both have been indicted by the grand jury the cases here were dismissed.

Annie J. Maher pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was sentenced to the state farm. She was on probation.

Mary J. Brydon was charged with drunkenness. She was sentenced to the house of correction for one month.

The case of James F. Lannon, charged with the larceny of $2.50 from a store in Liberty square, was from a store in Liberty square, was continued to April 27.

Francisco Gonsalves and Antonio Luz, charged with keeping liquor, had their cases continued to May 6.

The case of Antonis Christopilas, charged with threatening, was continued to Monday.

John Ward made his 60th appearance in local court today. He was charged with drunkenness. He was released from the house of correction last Thursday, after serving a three months' sentence. After agreeing to leave the city, the court decided to give him a chance. He was committed to the state farm under a suspended sentence.

Walter Kodo, pleading guilty to two counts of unlawfully riding on a Boston & Maine freight car, was fined $20.

Frank Simpson of Billerica, faced a larceny charge in which it was said he stole four hens and a barrel. He was given until May 20 to make restitution.

George H. Newell and Thomas Russell, charged with illegal keeping, had their cases continued to May 6. Newell was ready for trial, but Russell has defaulted, and as his case is associated with Newell's, the police wanted time to apprehend Russell.

SCHICK CLINIC

A number of tests were made this morning by Dr. Francis A. Flinegan, director of school hygiene, at the Schick clinic held at city hall.

WATCH AND CHAIN lost on Chelmsford Centre car or from Merrimack sq. to Cherry & Webb's store. Reward. Mrs. Norton. Phone 468.

BIG PROVISION CONCERN MAY LOCATE HERE

Lawrence men, who recently purchased the Associate building, plan to renovate the entire building, especially the first floor, now occupied by a large clothing store which is closing out its business. It is said that the Mohican company, which owns a chain of large provision stores throughout the east, would locate an up-to-date establishment on the first floor if the space could be secured.

With this end in view, Boston and New York representatives of the company yesterday conferred with the new owners in Lawrence. No agreement was reached at the conference and accordingly the men are to go ahead with their original intention of renovation. The local clothing concern will be out of the building by the first of June.

It is then planned to cut the store into five smaller stores with a view to attract more business in the direction of city hall. The owners intend to have plans made and specifications drawn up in case they decide to go through with this plan.

There is a possibility, however, that the Mohican company will take over the store on a long time lease.

If, before the first of June, the Mohican company decides to take the store, renovations to comply with their desires will be made and the plan of cutting up the big store into five smaller ones will be abandoned.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 22, 1922

March

21—James J. Scullin, 9, ac. appendicitis.

April

12—Amanda A. Entwistle, 76, chr. myocarditis.

13—Charles C. Sleeper, 35, bronchopneumonia.
James J. Tame, 57, cancer.
Mathilda Lussier, 81, arterio-sclerosis.
George O. Spaulding, 59, bronchopneumonia.

14—Walter Gibaldo, 23, phthisis.
Harvey B. Williams, 73, bronchopneumonia.

15—Albert E. Fligg, 9m., bronchopneumonia.
Bridget Calnin, 56, ac. car, dilatation.
Frederick L. Riley, 27, meningitis.
Philip Riley, 79, embolism.
Joseph Gulimette, 1h., prem. birth.
Essie Campbell, 73, arterio-sclerosis.
——— Yarnal, 5 mins., inst. delivery.

16—Isabella J. Lovejoy, 64, bronchopneumonia.
Joseph R. Aguiar, 27, lob. pneumonia.
James L. Smith, 53, carcinoma.

17—Louis Mahoulis, 6m., cold.
Thomas M. Hannon, 2m., con. debility.
Elizabeth P. Schoon, 59, cer. hemorrhage.
Peter Green, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph Baillargeon, 20mins., prem. birth.

18—Fred E. Connor, 60, cer. hemorrhage.
Gerald C. Drew, 8, ac. drowning.
Hector M. Sutherland, Jr., 2m., ac. bronchitis.

19—Marie L. Dion, 83, angina pectoris.
Alfred Lalliberte, 6m., ac. bronchitis.
Andrew Montreuil, 71, bronchopneumonia.
Elizabeth Wilde, 79, cer. hemorrhage.
Michael Droney, 45, comp. comminr. fracture of skull.

STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

LOWELL COUPLE ARRESTED IN LYNN

LYNN, April 22.—Samuel Posner and Marguerite Sullivan, both of Lowell, were held in $2500 bail here last night on charges of violating the drug law by being present where drugs were found.

The two were arrested when police raided a hotel and seized a quantity of drugs. Posner and Miss Sullivan sai dthey were visiting friends in the room where the drugs were found.

Occupants of an adjoining room where the police found some broken hypodermic needles were also arrested.

URGES ACTION ON SHIP BILL

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Favorable action by congress on the ship subsidy bill was urged today at the joint congressional hearing on the measure by George Donworth, a Seattle attorney, who said the Seattle chamber of commerce and similar civic organizations in eight other cities in the state of Washington has endorsed the administration program.

Mr. Danworth reported that public sentiment in the northwest was strongly in favor of the bill.

RESINOL

Soothing and Healing Household Ointment

DANCE FLOOR CARRYING 500 PERSONS SINKS

DERRY, N. H., April 22.—During the progress of a dance in the Broadway theatre block last night, a dance hall floor in the second story, carrying 500 dancers, started to sink. Beneath was the theatre in which were seated 400 people. The floor started to sink with explosive reports. Barring the fainting of a few young women, every person of almost a thousand escaped. The police then took possession of the building and are investigating the construction.

BENEFIT LECTURE FOR VASSAR FUND

Miss Eloise Horsey of Boston lectured at Rogers Hall school yesterday afternoon on one of the season's most widely discussed novels, "If Winter Comes." She called it the best novel of the year and outlined the essential features of a good novel as she sees them. She pointed out how the theme of the story is built on Shelley's "Ode to the West Wind"; "If winter comes, shall spring be far behind?"

The lecture was given for the benefit of the Vasaar college endowment fund and was quite well attended.

JOY RIDES AND MOVIES IN CHINA

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Bright lights, joy rides and the movies have made a hit in China, Trade Commissioner Lynn W. Meekins reported from Shanghai today.

"The Chinese," he said, "are just as fond of the white lights as the most exuberant Broadway crowd. The joyride, too, made an immediate hit in China and motor cars are being multiplied. The Chinese are so enthusiastic over motion pictures that they have begun producing films themselves."

MODERN REVERE FINED FOR SPEEDING

BOSTON, April 22.—Martin Semonian, who hails from Lexington, believes that Paul Revere was a piker for speed.

Just to show how the message to the Minute Men should have been delivered, Martin drove over Revere's old course in an automobile. He made better speed than the revolutionary hero—averaging 60 miles an hour—but the police, not recognizing him as a modern Revere, chased him through three towns, haled him into court and an unappreciative judge fined him $85.

PIANO RECITAL

The pupils of Veronica Rose Barr will give a piano recital at her studio, 121 Agawam street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Barr will be assisted by Mrs. Margaret McDonough Maguire, soprano; Miss Margaret Mahoney, reader; Miss Blanche Walsh, violinist. Miss Barr is also a pupil of Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye.

SPENT HALF HER TIME IN BED

Farmer's Wife Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman

Carter's Creek, Tenn. — "Three years ago I was almost an invalid. I spent half of my time in bed, being afflicted with a trouble which women of a certain age are apt to have. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I am a well woman now and have been for two years. I can work as well as any one who is younger and as I am a farmer's wife I have plenty to do for I cultivate my own garden, raise many chickens and do my own housework. You may publish this letter as I am ready to do anything to help women as I have been so well and happy since my troubles are past."—Mrs. E. T. GALLOWAY, Carter's Creek, Tenn.

Most women find plenty to do. If they are upset with some female ailment and troubled with such symptoms as Mrs. Galloway had, the smallest duty seems a mountain.

If you find it hard to keep up, if you are nervous and irritable, without ambition and out of sorts generally, give the Vegetable Compound a trial.

Pan-American Women's Conference Ends

BALTIMORE, April 22.—Resolutions embodying in concrete form, the work of the Pan-American conference of women, which will end officially this afternoon will be brought in at the closing session by a committee. Many delegates will remain here next week for the convention of the National League of Women Voters.

Shot in Head But Escapes Fatal Injury

BROCKTON, April 22.—Edwin E. Hall was shot in the head but escaped fatal injury when he was attacked in a public garage at 7 o'clock this morning by Henry Cabledon, aged 24, a garage employe, whom the police allege had worked himself into a frenzy over a slight dispute with Hall during the week. In district court Cabledon was held for hearing April 24 on charges of attempting to murder and with unlawfully carrying a loaded revolver.

Greeks Take Positions in Meander Valley

ATHENS, April 22.—Greek troops are occupying the positions evacuated by Italian forces in the Meander valley of Asiatic Turkey, says an official communique. The Turkish national forces have offered but slight resistance.

COAKLEY IS DISBARRED

Judge Jenney Bases Finding Upon Stearns and Tufts Cases

BOSTON, April 22.—An order for the disbarment of Daniel H. Coakley, prominent Boston attorney, on charges of extortion and perjury, preferred by the Boston Bar association, was directed late yesterday by Judge Chas. F. Jenney of the superior court. It was alleged by the bar association that in 1918, Coakley entered into a conspiracy to secure the commission of crime by Capt. Charles E. Stearns, in order to enable Helen W. Stearns, wife of Capt. Stearns, to obtain a divorce on the ground of adultery, and that in July, 1921, at the trial of former District Attorney Nathan A. Tufts, before the supreme judicial court, Coakley testified falsely under oath.

Earlier in the week Coakley, whose name was mentioned frequently in the trials of Tufts and Joseph C. Pelletier, removed as district attorneys, respectively of Middlesex and Suffolk counties, withdrew from the hearings before Judge Jenney, after announcing that it was "humanly impossible" for him to get his day in court. He argued that as Judge Jenney, assigned to hear the petition of the bar association, had concurred in the decisions of the full bench removing Tufts and Pelletier, the court was powerless to give him an impartial trial.

"Before this court I am prejudiced," said Coakley. "It is not a hearing that is offered me but an autopsy."

In his finding yesterday the judge declared the evidence submitted to him by the bar association sustained the charges against Coakley, and he pointed out that no attempt had been made to explain or controvert that evidence to supplement it with other evidence, tending to show that the conclusions reached in the Tufts case were incorrect.

Hunt Slayer of Ticket Agent

Continued

that Kivlan had expected to be back in Winchester earlier in the day.

The police expressed belief that the Pittsfield inquiry might prove important because of the theory that Brewster was killed in revenge.

The police were also interested in the New Hampshire end of the inquiry as the result of the finding of a hat bearing the mark of a Manchester, N. H., maker, near the station platform, and retained by the police as possibly the most valuable clew they have yet picked up. The owner of the hat was reported to have been interviewed by the police last night in Manchester.

Mrs. Brewster, widow of the murdered man, went to Boston today to seek permission from the medical examiner the first game played by the Pittsfield tonight.

Chief McIntosh and Walter Sedell, a railroad towerman who is believed to have been the last person to see Brewster alive, went to the district attorney's office at Cambridge today. They had a conference with District Attorney Saltonstall.

Clerk Taken to Boston

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 22.—A clerk in the local hat store whose trade mark in the hat found less than 200 feet from the Winchester, Mass., railroad station, where Ralph W. Brewster, ticket agent, was shot and killed Thursday night, was taken to Boston today by Massachusetts state police officers in an effort to discover the owner of the hat. The management of the store stated that identification is practically impossible.

Massachusetts police at Pittsfield, N. H., Brewster's former home, were still active in their investigations, seeking a possible enemy of the man. The Manchester police department, as well as those of surrounding towns, is aiding in the work.

Belief that Brewster might have been taken for Frank McGrath, former Winchester ticket agent and now employed at the local station of the Boston & Maine, was definitely abandoned today, when McGrath explained that he had never served on the night shift at Winchester. Confusion of the two men would be out of the question, as McGrath is much taller and heavier than Brewster.

1922 Coal Thrift Club

It's going strong. New members are constantly coming in. It's one of the best ways to provide for next season's coal. You pay a dollar to join. The dollar goes on your coal. You pay a little down each week till October 1, and your coal is all paid for when you need it, and you are sure of your coal.

Come in and join now and get started on the road to thrift, happiness and contentment.

We are now on the fourth week of the miners' strike. It has taken all this time to present just the miners' side. It will take several weeks to present the operators' side, and then several weeks for decision. It all means loss in production. It looks to us like a shortage of coal in the fall. Use your own judgment, however, but join the THRIFT CLUB. We are at your service.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS—BUILDING NOTES

BUILDING PERMITS

The following permits for new construction and alterations were issued this week by the inspector of public buildings:

James Reynolds, 49 Liberty street, repairs to piazza; cost, $25.

Addie E. Cashin, 156 Wilder street, garage; cost, $500.

Opesine Brissette, 59 Townsend avenue, new foundation and roof on one-family dwelling; cost, $150.

William Dube, 100 Ludlam street, garage; cost, $75.

Lonnie M. Blodgett, 366 Westford street, interior alterations; cost, $50.

John P. Quinn estate, 4-10 Dix street, addition to stable; cost, $400.

John P. Quinn estate, rear of 984 Gorham street, addition for coal shed; cost, $400.

William E. Rowlandson, 136 Parkview avenue, garage; cost, $500.

Harriet E. Broadbent, 42 Maple st., addition for garage and workshop; cost, $200.

Charles T. Killpatrick, 28 Merrill street, two-car garage; cost, $200.

Royal K. Dexter, 319 Wilder street, addition to piazza; cost, $300.

Claudia Cushman, 55 Fifth avenue, addition to piazza; cost, $150.

T. W. Johnson, 487 Andover street, change stable into garage; cost, $500.

Middlesex Machine Co., 42-46 Lee street, brick building for shop use; cost, $14,250.

Thomas Keegan, 22 Elsworth street garage; cost, $250.

G. Robillard, Barbara street, 4-room dwelling; cost, $250.

William and Rose Kealy, 32 Franklin street, addition of one room; cost, $200.

Michael T. Riley, 52 Upham street, one-family dwelling; cost, $3000.

Eva M. Littlefield, 26 Freemont street, garage; cost, $125.

George Lussier, 903 Moody street, garage; cost, $250.

John E. Grenier, rear of 76 Mammoth road, hen coop; cost, $25.

Franz Gilbert, 50 Laurel street, garage; cost, $200

Alfred J. Allard, 16 Usher street, one-family dwelling; cost, $2500.

Bergeron & Parent, 285 Thorndike street, new office space; cost, $400.

C. Harry Clapp, 533 Middlesex street, change over for office; cost, $300.

D. A. Schulte, 7 Merrimack street, new entrance to building; cost, $500.

John S. Peters, 139 Central street new store front; cost, $200.

Paige Street Baptist church, 20 Lorong street, garage; cost, $160.

Jeremiah Chaput, 246 Aiken avenue, garage; cost, $400.

Rose Lempkin, 392-394 Bridge street, stores; cost, $4000.

Charles H. McKenney, 27 Orchard street, garage; cost, $75.

Alphonse Noel, 321-323 Riverside street, 2-family dwelling; cost, $5000.

C. Harry Clapp, 537 Middlesex street change store fronts; cost, $700.

Leo Moreau, 45 West street, garage; cost, $150.

Esrel Greenberg, 235-285 Chelmsford street, two-family dwelling; cost, $5000.

In building a new home plan to have ice put in refrigerator from outside. You can get any size Eddy refrigerator with ice door in back as well as front at A. E. O'Heir & Co., Hurd street. Adv.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Thos. H. Elliott—real estate and insurance—offices, 64 Central street, cor. Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week:

On behalf of Daniel F. Murphy, conveyance has been made of the modern two-apartment property at 47-49 Twelfth street, at the head of June street. The apartments have eight rooms, bath and heat each. The land conveyed totals 8795 square feet. The grantee is Charles A. Rogers of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company.

Also the sale of a small farm property situated in Tewksbury. The parcel totals four acres, the house being in cottage style. The transfer is negotiated on behalf of Lyman F. Priest of Gleasondale, Mass., the grantee being Agnes G. Carr of this city.

Final papers have been passed in the transfer of an investment parcel comprising two houses of one and one-half story type and located at 220-222 Thorndike street. The houses are modern in every way and occupy land to the amount of 3407 square feet. Conveyance is made on behalf of E. F. Grant, the grantee being S. J. Ryan.

On behalf of Miss Mary A. Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., conveyance has been effected of a parcel of land situated on Lakeview avenue near its junction with Mammoth road in the Collinsville section. The lot totals 6450 square feet with a street frontage of fifty feet. The grantee is John J. Connelly of the Collinsville school.

Final papers have been passed in the transfer of a two-apartment parcel at 19-21 Liberty street. The apartments have seven rooms and bath each. The land conveyed approximates 8400 square feet. Conveyance is effected on behalf of J. G. Wright, the grantee being Catherine F. Geary, buying for combined purposes of occupancy and investment.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

LOWELL

Michael J. Grady, et ux, to Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Middlesex Park.

Eugene F. Callahan, et al, to Cameron Ice Cream Co., Lowell, Middlesex st.

Eva Schulman, to Joseph F. Garrity, Thorndike st.

Emily F. Hatch, et al, to Addie A. Streeter, Sixth st.

Helen A. Sargent, to Charles W. Frost, Walnut st.

Hercule A. Toupin, et al, by Sheriff to Samuel Scott, Aiken st.

David Dundon to Mary K. Dundon et al, Columbia park.

Frederick A. Small to Leona M. Small, Whitney ave.

Anna L. Murphy et al to Charles B. Rogers et ux, Twelfth st.

Mary T. Shea et al to Raoul Granon, Varnum avenue terrace.

Bridget J. Roche et al to George B. Roche et ux, Central st.

George J. Sanborn to E. Gaston Campbell, Burnaby st.

Robert H. Elliott to James H. Whitney et ux, London st.

Angie G. Dinsmoor to Auburn H. Taylor et ux, Burlington ave.

Albert J. Ryan, tr, to James F. Keene et ux, Pemberton st.

Fred W. Wood et al, trs, to Sarah Potter, Wetherbee ave.

Fannie W. Burnham et al to Sabatino Di Profio et ux, Middlesex st.

Auburn H. Taylor et ux to Thomas V. Butler et ux, South Loring st.

James Corbo to Concetta Corbo, Whipple st.

Clara M. Mongrain to Marie Anne Houde, Sarah ave.

Michael Corbett to James Hodnett, Corbett st.

Lydia O. St. John to James J. McGuigan, Nesmith st.

James H. Ames et ux to Sterling B. Crosby, Light ave.

J. Emile Bourque et ux to Wilfred Forget et ux, Dracut st.

Joseph G. Wright to Catherine F. Geary, Bellevue st.

William J. Crossley et ux to Walter E. Lorman et ux, Humphrey st.

Louis Marion to Leander Marion, Rosemont terrace.

Louis Marion to Alcide Domers et ux, Rosemont terrace.

Warren H. Sherman to Rose Lemkin, Rutland st.

Lucile W. Lamson et al to Stephen J. Ryan et ux, Thorndike st.

Alice Dinsmoor to Angie G. Dinsmoor, Stevens st.

Annie A. Hurd to Frank W. Hurd et ux, Harrison st.

Alfred J. Foster to A. J. Foster Shoe Co., Lowell, Willie st.

TEWKSBURY

Emma Priest, et al, to Agnes G. Carr.

TYNGSBORO

Margaret R. Langston, et al, to Henry Gerard, et al.

WESTFORD

Charles Freiman, to Edward L. Parker.

WILMINGTON

Dudley B. Purbeck, to Eugene B. Hamilton, tr., Billerica rd.

Esther E. Nichols, et al, to Esther H. Nichols, Middlesex ave.

Friendship lodge, A.F. and A.M., Wilmington by trs. to trs. of Friendship lodge, A.F. and A.M., Wilmington.

Laura Myrtle Riley, et al, to Elizabeth Dent, River st.

Dudley B. Purbeck, to Eugene B. Hamilton, tr., Main st.

Dudley B. Purbeck, to Eugene B. Hamilton, tr., Everett ave.

BILLERICA

Edgar P. Sollew to Louise G. Hiscox, Shawsheen road.

John A. Richardson et al, to Thomas Elder et ux., Andover road.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Jeannie Higginbotham, Nuttings Lake Park extension.

Frederick C. Engle est. by admx. to Emma M. Young, Cross road.

Emma M. Young to Alice E. Engle, Cross road.

Adolph A. Brand to Edith M. McKenney, Nuttings Lake Park annex.

Annie M. Morse et al. to Walter H. Eaton et ux., Nuttings Lake park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Robert S. Douthart et ux., Nuttings Lake Park annex.

Thomas J. Nee to David W. Bowie, Nuttings Lake Park addition.

Joseph LaBrecque to Philip J. Grafton, Burnham road.

CARLISLE

Emma F. Caler to Fred P. Nickles.

CHELMSFORD

Frank W. Sadlor to Charles G. Finn et al., Pinenoedle st.

Loren J. Ellinwood to Edward J. Robbins et al., Acton st.

Harry Anderton et ux. to Josephine G. Clark, Albina st.

Patrick J. McMahon et al. to Michael J. Scollan, McMahon ave.

Mary A. Titus est. by admr. to George O. Jackson, Crooked Spring road.

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Fred C. Tobey Investment Co. by tr. to George Kouluris et al., Lakeview gardens.

Marion B. Reed to Reinold Thomberg, Kenwood.

Alice E. Chapman et al. to John Hesson et ux., Holbrook ave.

Edward Callahan to Manuel Jenuario et ux.

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Etta E. Dow et al. to Charles E. Marsh et al.

Furniture for this house can be purchased from A. E. O'Heir & Co., in Hurd st on reasonable terms.—Adv.

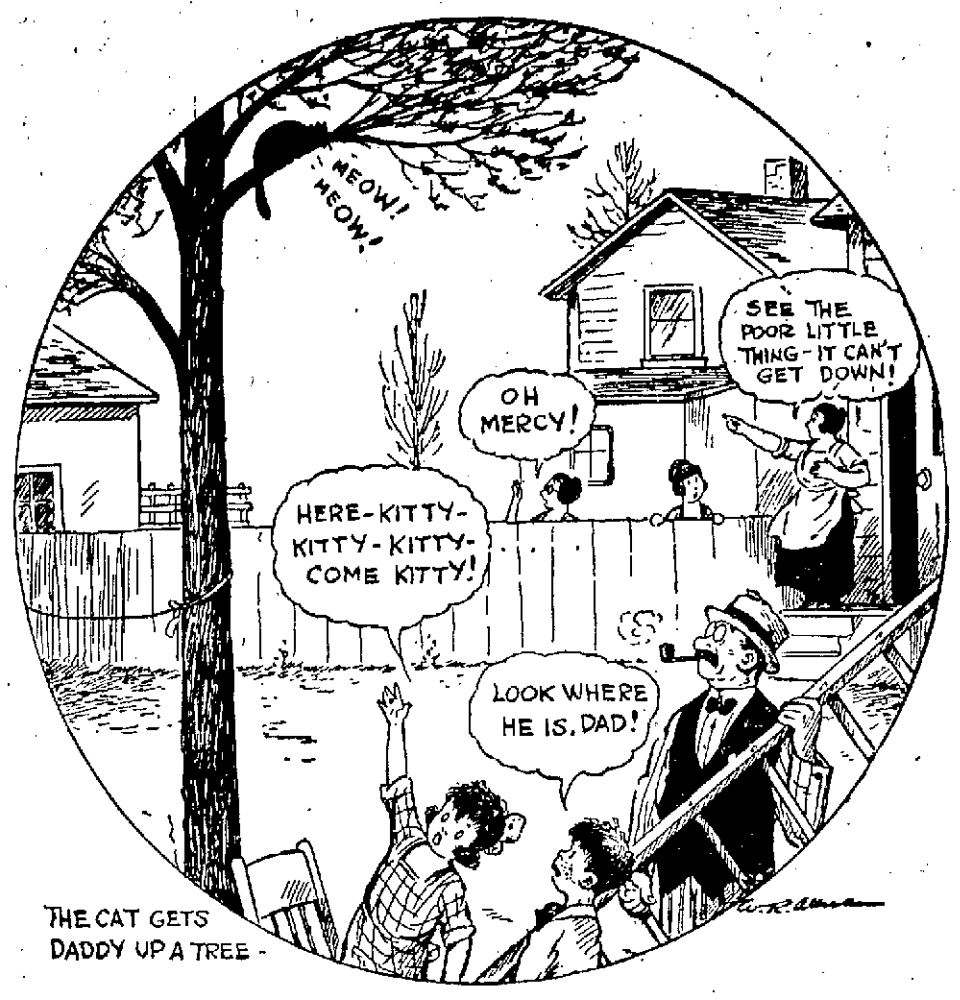
GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

An interesting meeting of the directors of the Goodwill industries was held yesterday. It was a monthly meeting and reports were submitted. The report of the treasurer showed the receipts for the first quarter to be $3966.80, a decided gain over the same period last year. The directors present at the meeting were Mrs. A. E. Swapp, Miss Emily Skillan, D. L. Page, Mrs. Isabelle Lovejoy, Mrs. Jennie Kendrick, A. L. Hiser, Miss Clara Hallock, F. A. Flather, Mrs. Alvena Clough, A. D. Bockes and L. C. Bockes. President D. L. Page presided.

DANIEL H. WALKER

Contractor Daniel H. Walker, of this city, one of the best known men in the general contracting business in this part of the state, has been given the contract for the erection of the Congregational church in Tewksbury Centre. When completed, this building will be another point to the credit of Mr. Walker.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



Lenine Keeps Away From State Affair

LONDON, April 22.—Although official statements by the Russia soviet government have reported Premier Lenine's health satisfactor he continues to keep away from state affairs, says a Reval despatc to the Times.

Fix Date for Royal Wedding

BELGRADE, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The marriage o King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia and Princess Marie, second daughter o King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Rumania, has been definitely fixe for June 1, it was announced today.

Turkish Woman Lieutenant in Army

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—A Turkish woman has been give the rank of lieutenant in the nationalist army, earning her promotion i action against the Greeks, says an Angora despatch. This is the highes rank ever held in the Turkish army by a woman. Fatma, the lady i question, was a corporal when she led a patrol composed almost entirel of women in an attack on the enemy's rear and returned with 25 pri oners, including an officer. Battalions of women were created last yea They have shown great bravery and suffered heavy casualties.

Bulgaria Disarms Wrangel's Troops

SOFIA, April 22.—Bulgaria has notified the Ukrainian soviet govern ment that all the troops under the command of Gen. Baron Wrang arriving in Bulgaria have been disarmed. The note was in reply to Ukrainian message declaring that, in the event of these troops attackin the Ukrain, the incident would be considered an act of war on the pa of Bulgaria.

John D. Has Not Yet Given Consent

CHICAGO, April 22.—The announcement of Max Oser cabled fro Switzerland that he would be wedded to Miss Mathilde McCormick i June, was today met with a statement that Miss McCormick and h father, Harold F. McCormick, had made "no plans of any sort" regard ing the date of their departure from Chicago. So far John D. Rocke feller, grandfather of Miss McCormick, is not known to have given h consent to the marriage.

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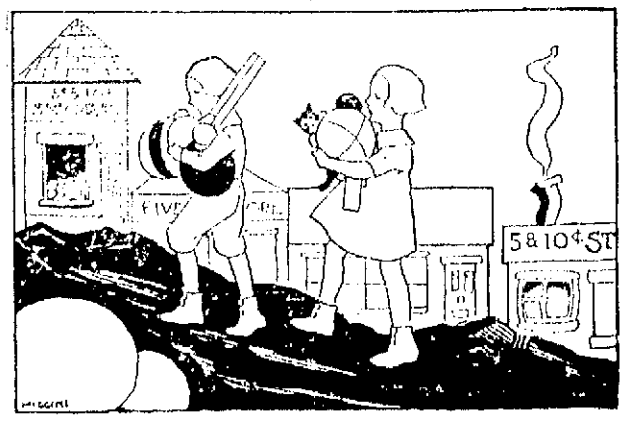
Adventures of the Twins

THE LOST DIMES



THEY HAD QUITE FORGOTTEN ABOUT THEIR ERRAND.

It was well named the "Five-and-Ten-Cent-Store Mountain."

Nancy and Nick had been in about a dozen stores and there were dozens more to come. Already they had their pockets full and their arms and hands full, and they were still shopping. The more they saw the more they bought, for just as fast as they spent one dime another appeared to take its place.

They had quite forgotten about their errand, about the Princess Thorna, the Biddyeevers and the Kuskaloots. Twelve Toes and the Fairy Queen. It really was a wonder that Nick managed to keep his hold on the magic records, which after all, was the real reason for their errand.

More and more stores appeared and the Twins wandered from one to the other like lost Babes-in-the-Woods; stores with white mice, stores with chicks, stores with gold fish, stores with gold fish, stores with everything, were there.

There they be there yet, no doubt, and Princess Thorna would have married no one and died an old maid had not the red feather pen in Nick's pocket played a trick. It was no use writing messages to the Twins. They wouldn't have paid any attention to them if he had. So when the next new dime appeared in Nick's pocket the pen ripped a neat hole and the dime fell out.

Nick's reason came back with a rush and he caught Nancy's hand. "Close your eyes," he commanded in a big brother way. "I'm going to lead you the rest of the way over this mountain. I'm not going into another store—not if it falls on me and not if I can buy an automobile made of pure gold for 10 cents."

I think it was a bit mean of him to blame it on Nancy, don't you? But men mostly do.

Suddenly a queer thing happened. All the bundles and bags and things the children had bought disappeared into thin air. And all the stores disappeared, too, and the dime in Nancy's pocket.

"It was magic, wasn't it?" gasped the little girl. "Do you s'pose Twelve Toes did it all?"

"Of course," said Nick.

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Y.M.C.A. AUXILIARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Y.M.C.A. auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon with President Sturtevant in the chair. The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Henry K. Yye of the Calvary Baptist church, who spoke on "A Wireless World." Refreshments were served by the women of the church.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

The nominating committee has recommended the following list of officers for the Middlesex Women's club, for the season of 1922-23, and it has been posted in the club rooms by the executive committee: President, Mrs. Otis L. Humphrey; vice presidents, Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, Mrs. John A. Hunnewell, Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin; recording secretary, Mrs. Josiah Butler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edward W. Trull, treasurer; Miss Julia T. Peevey; chairman of finance, Mrs. James F. Owens; directors (term expires 1925), Miss Helen Wilson Barnes, Mrs. Arthur Bartlett, Mrs. Arthur A. Wright.

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Quarter Century Ago

From 1893, when there was a great business depression, until 1897 the labor unions of Lowell were in a very demoralized condition. Just twenty-five years ago the Trades and Labor council was formed and has continued in operation ever since with a steadily increasing influence and usefulness.

One of the active unions in that movement was the Cotton Spinners' in reference to which the following from the old Sun is of interest:

"Last night, the cotton spinners held an enthusiastic meeting in their hall on Middlesex street. Michael Duggan was elected secretary.

"Alexander Ray and L. W. Weeks were present to address the meeting in regard to the new Central Labor council. The spinners voted to join a central trades council but one of their officers said it must be free from politics, as no other can exist in Lowell as the experience of the past five years has completely disgusted all the labor men of the city. In order to promote the interests of labor in general, politics must be eschewed and on this condition alone can a central trades council be established here."

Mathews Easter Ball

Since its early history the Mathew Temperance Institute has conducted an Easter Monday ball. Twenty-five years ago it held the 16th in its history, so that the event held this year was the 41st annual ball. The officers 25 years ago were: General manager, John J. Burns; assistant, John J. Gallagher; floor director, Patrick F. Reilly; assistants, John J. Pinder, James E. McKeon.A

City Horses Burned

Says the old Sun:

"A mysterious fire and a dangerous one occurred last evening in the board of health stable in which six fine draft horses were destroyed and a conflagration averted only by promptness and great efforts of the fire department.

"Two were smothered by smoke while three were fatally burned. The remaining animal was frightfully burned about the head, though able to walk. Its eyes were burned out however, and Dr. Vilesapt put an end to its suffering with a bullet."

Schrader, Divine Healer

Quarter century ago, Schrader, the then famous divine healer, visited Lowell and for some weeks was an object of great curiosity. It seemed that he affected in his facial appearance an imitation of the pictures of the Savior. He was in reality a venerable looking personage and impressed many of those who visited him as being gifted with divine power. Speaking of his visit the Sun had the following:

"The lame, the halt and the blind, all wended their way to the unpretentious brick house at 79 Appleton street yesterday and this morning to be blessed and as they hoped to be cured by Schrader, the far-famed divine healer.

"He occupies a large, airy, but not luxuriously furnished room on the second floor. He came into town unheralded, will bless thousands and will probably steal away as quietly as he came.

"Schrader does not claim to be divine, but does assert that he is endowed with divine powers in the matter of healing. He does not charge any fee for his blessings, but will accept any gift offered him.

"His long dark hair parted in the middle falls in graceful curls over his shoulders and hides his ears. His face, which is rough skinned is covered with a thick beard and brown moustache, the former just hiding his collar. Many who have seen him were struck with his resemblance to the picture of the Savior and this is undoubtedly a large part of his stock in trade. Thus far, no cures are reported as a result of his healing."

25 Years Wed

From the old Sun:

"At the residence of the bride, 27 West Fourth street, Mr. Otis R. Atherton and Miss Gertrude E. Sands were, last evening, April 21, united in marriage by Rev. Frank K. Stratton of St. Paul's church. They will live at 27 West Fifth street.

"Bird—Fiske

"Society attended the marriage of Miss Julia Hudson Fiske, daughter of the late General W. H. Fiske, and Mr. Frank Edward Bird, cashier of the First National bank of Saratoga in the Unitarian church, last evening. While the guests were arriving, N. W. Mansfield gave an organ recital and during the ceremony Miss Agnes Everett of Boston, sang the bridal hymn. Rev. C. T. Billings performed the ceremony.

"Monahan—Gleason

"At St. Patrick's parochial residence last evening, April 21, Mr. John Monahan and Miss Annie Gleason, a teacher in St. Patrick's Sunday school, were united in marriage. Mr. Thomas Gallagher was best man and Miss Nellie Daly was bridesmaid."

Greeks Went To Fight the Turks

Twenty-five years ago, Greece was involved in a war with Turkey and was getting the worst of it as far as reports of that time went. Greece sent out a call for her nationalists in this country and many of them responded. The following from the old Sun indicates that the men of this city as usual were ready to fight for their motherland:

"'We start for Greece, but we will never forget America. We like this country and may God never give to America any calamity. She treated us like her sons and we want to treat her like our mother.'"

"Such was the sentiment of Prof. M. Iatros and his eight compatriots on the eve of their departure for their native land to fight the battle of their country. On Monday, 30 more Greeks will leave this city for Greece, and in the course of a week or ten days, the number will be increased to 70 or 80."

OLD TIMER.

LAST IN SPECIAL LECTURE COURSE

The last in a special lecture course at the Grace Universalist church last night brought to the city Noah Bellharz, a noted reader of unusual skill and interpretative ability. He entertained a large audience with readings and impersonations from Edward Eggleston's "Story of a Hoosier Schoolmaster."

A great deal of success has marked the lecture course this winter, due mainly to the efforts of the Comrades, an organization of men of the church, who have become active in its social life. For this reason it is planned to conduct another course next winter, possibly larger in scope, for it is felt there is a real demand for such high grade entertainment in the neighborhood of Grace church.

Dave Shade, of the famous fighting family, will meet Denny O'Keefe in Kenosha on Monday evening, May 1.

Y. M. C. A. MINSTREL SHOW BIG SUCCESS

The Y.M.C.A. minstrel show "f Starland," held last night in Colonial hall; made a decided hit. The song dances and jokes were all good an the manner in which they were pu across would do credit to professionals.

H. J. Roberts acted as interlocuto and had the following for end-men George Thursby, Charles Clancy, Her bert Stromquist, Robert Oates, Gu McKenzie and Ted Wick. Added fea tures of the show were the Ives Brass quartet of Boston and the Mendels sohn Male quartet of this city.

The program follows:

Grand Opening Chorus, Entire Company
Eng Song, Ten Little Fingers, Herbert Stromquist
Ballad, That's How I Believe In You, James Jones
Syncopated Steppers to the Elite, Ted Williams and Roy Royce
End Song, Tucky Home, Gus McKenzie
Tenor Solo, Selected, Harry Pascall
Selections, Ives' Brass Quartet
End Song, Dapper Dan, Ted Wick
Ballad, April Showers, G. Emmet Roberts
End Song, Granny, George Thursby
Duet, I'll Forget You, Hall and Kershaw
End Song, Carolina Rolling Stone, Charles Clancy
Bass Solo, Selected, Harry Needham
Selections, Mendelssohn Male Quartet of America
End Song, I've Got My Habits On, Robert Oates
Closing Chorus, Company

The chorus: Scott Clement, Clarence Gamache, George Sanford, Percy Douglas, John True, Albert Nichols, Kenneth Lothrop, Wayne Paterson, Alfred McGregor, Harold Patten, Harold Scott, John Turnbull, Milton Brooks, A. Johnson, Fred Winkler, William Nickerson, Bertice Spearal, Everett Fernald, Malcolm Davis, Herbert Dunmouth, Charles Morse, Clifford Kittredge, Walter Sutherland, Ralph Hoselton, Edward Fuller, F. J. McDonald, Stanley Shannon, Miles Gallagher, Leander Conley, Frederick Rogers, Laurd Grafton, Alfred Laporte.

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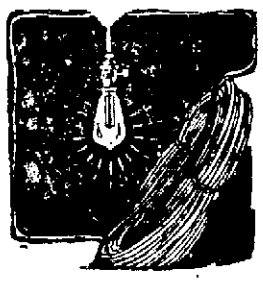

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Drop a nickel, as you would at any telephone pay station—

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That's what you will be doing soon. In fact, that's what has been done and found practicable.

The means is a traveling radiophone pay station.

First tests of this new form of communication were made recently on a Delaware & Lackawanna railroad train equipped with wireless apparatus for receiving and sending. The antenna was strung along the top of the cars low enough so as not to be torn down when the train passed through a tunnel.

The whole set was put up in a cabinet form, much like the wire telephone pay station you use at the drug store.

Tests are now being made to enable radio conversation to go on between two persons over the same instruments at the same time. When that is made possible, talking by radio will be like talking by wire telephone.

Then, all that will be needed is a slot box to make the traveling radiophone pay station usable. Dropping a coin would complete the circuit which allows use of the radiophone for a certain length of time. After that the circuit automatically would open and an additional coin would be needed to continue the radio conversation.

AUXILIARY COIL ADDS TUNING CAPACITY

BY R. L. DUNCAN
Director, Radio Institute of America

Can an amateur increase the tuning capacity of his radio receiving set?

Easily. If the tuner he is using will not respond to wave lengths above 450 meters, let him wind a single tube with several turns of wire, put a slider or taps on it for variation, and connect in series with the aerial. This should be placed ahead of the primary and secondary circuits.

This adds some resistance to the set, but it increases the wave length. By having it so hooked up with a small switch, the operator can cut in or out, using the extra coil only when necessary.

You will recall that we can change the wave length by varying the capacity and inductance in a transmitter. The same rule holds true in a receiver.

Tapping Primary

The primary of the coupler in the receiver is tapped so that more inductance may be added and a longer length received. The variable condenser in series with the aerial decreases the length.

Th condenser shunted across the secondary adds capacity to that part of the circuit and puts it in resonance with the primary.

It will be noted in most diagrams of receiving circuits that a small fixed condenser is shunted across the head phones.

The high inductance of the phones offers considerable resistance, holding back to a certain extent the incoming signals, and thus preventing perfect vibrations of the diaphragms.

But the fixed condenser provides a complete circuit for the high frequency waves without allowing them to pass through the telephone receivers direct.

ANOTHER YOUNG RADIO ENTHUSIAST

One of the latest additions to the local legion of radio enthusiasts is Henry Vallerand of 21 Oliver street, a student at the vocational school.

The young man is about to enter upon his first venture in the radio field. He cheerfully admits that he has not received any training or instructions in operating, but he believes that the present is the best time to start acquiring knowledge of the subject.

Vallerand has been an enthusiast in mechanics for a long time, and has built a workshop of good size at his home. In the shop, he believes, he has a great deal of the necessary material for equipping a radio plant, but in order to get expert information he is getting in touch with Director R. L. Duncan of the Radio Institute of America, whose articles on various matters of interest to radio amateurs are published exclusively in The Sun. As soon as he receives the required information he will start work on his new plant, and expects to have one of the finest in the city.

The new enthusiast believes that his shop will be a splendid location for a radio set, because of its comparative isolation from the section of the city where high voltage wires cause great difficulty to operators. He has evidently been reading on the subject, for he has arranged already for the counteraction of every conceivable difficulty in his path.

When the new set is installed, local followers of the game are likely to hear of some very good results on Oliver street.

RADIO SPARKS

Audio-Frequency—Currents alternating at less than 10,000 cycles a second are termed currents of audio-frequency. This is because the frequency of 10,000 or less, cycles a second produces audible vibrations in a telephone diaphragm.

RADIO PRIMER

Open Circuit—The aerial, or primary, circuit of a radio set which is not directly connected, except by induction, to the secondary or closed circuit, is made by grounding.

RADIO CLUB MEMBERS VISIT BIG STATION

Nine members of the Lowell Radio club visited the great sending station at Marion, Cape Cod, on Patriots day. This station, abandoned during the war, is again in operation and in constant touch with Posen, Germany, and Stavenger, Norway, handling commercial matter only. The most conspicuous feature that came to their attention was the mile-long antennae, which gives the station its long range. The visitors examined the various details connected with the monster transmission apparatus as thoroughly as possible during their limited stay, and were greatly impressed by the enormous proportions of everything they inspected.

The cold change in weather of the past two days has not in the least reduced the amount of static electricity which interferes increasingly with the advent of warm weather. The static condition is changeable at any time of the year, according to local operators, and the air may be surcharged even on the coldest and clearest day. With this condition to cope with from now on, listening-in on concerts and talks will be somewhat less enjoyable.

Proposals on the part of the government to regulate the wave length of radio stations throughout the country is causing consternation among many of the amateur operators, whose equipment would be practically out of touch with the larger stations if the wave lengths were increased. On the other hand, those with more powerful sets are quite undisturbed, and are ready for anything the government may see fit to do.

The complaint by many local amateurs that they cannot get in touch with the Springfield station is answered by experts with the statement that scientists have discovered Springfield is surrounded by lead deposits, particularly on the easterly side. The sendings from this station are easily heard to the westward, but in this vicinity are available only to certain of the better types of apparatus.

FEW LESS HENS BUT MORE RADIO

The following letter recently arrived at the Freed-Eisemann Radio corporation headquarters in New York. It gives just a hint of the growing interest taken by everybody in radio, and shows that it pays to mix a little sentiment with a little business.

The letter reads:

Freed-eisemann corporation,
new York,
dear Sirs,

I have just received your acknowledgement of my order to be shipped c. o. D. bit I find that you will have to give me Terms if you are to sell me. I am only 12 (twelve) years old and am a Boy Scout, as I have already told you, and being a Boy Scout I am not able to borrow money from my mother.

I saw your advertisement in a Boys' magazine some time ago but did not have the money, but about a Week ago a Man asked me if I would sell him some hens. He was to come for them but didn't, so I cannot pay the c. o. D. If you would accept Terms, say a $1 (dollar) down and a Month to pay I could sell my hens to the Butcher as they are not laying and I expect some chicks next week, anyway.

I am enclosing a $1 (dollar) in hopes You will accept my terms. Please tell the post office employes to keep the set at the post office, until I call for it.

Yours Truly,

No Taxes Levied on Wireless

Despite rumors current to the contrary, there is no tax whatever levied against wireless instruments and no license necessary for a receiving set.

SUCCESSFUL WEEK OF RADIO CONCERTS

A very successful week of radio concerts is reported by John Fogden of 48 Fremont street. Last Saturday Mr. Fogden gave a demonstration at the Cheney Allard hospital, with people from many cities present. The demonstration was repeated Sunday with even better results.

Last Wednesday evening was the best of the week. The various broadcasting stations came in with wonderful clarity. Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston was heard in his favorite song, "Sweet Adeline," and a lengthy talk.

Other stations heard from were Pittsburgh, Pa., New York and Medford Hillside. The station operates every night from 7.45 to 10.15 o'clock, except Mondays and Thursdays, and any person or persons wishing to secure a special engagement on any evening may be accommodated by giving Mr. Fogdan a little notice. The general public is invited to visit the place at any time and are assured of a pleasant evening's entertainment.

DEAF MAY HEAR BY VACTUPHONE

Earl C. Hanson, radio expert and inventor, has perfected a radio set that will enable deaf persons to hear low conversation from a distance of 60 feet. He calls it a vactuphone. The heart of this instrument is the vacuum tube amplifier, shown in the hand. Besides this there are a vacuum tube detector, a sounding box and head receiver.

PLATE VARIOMETER AFFORDS FINE TUNING

By R. L. DUNCAN
Director, Radio Institute of America

Another way of increasing the tuning capacity of the receiving-set is by getting the full benefit of the variometer.

The express purpose of this variometer in the regenerative set is to feed back energy into the grid circuit of the vacuum tube which greatly increases incoming signal strength. By thus simplifying the original grid oscillations more variation of plate current will result.

By this feeding back process the incoming signals are greatly increased in volume. If the user of the regenerative set is patient, he can learn to use this variometer so that he gets the greatest possible selectivity.

The best results are obtained when the circuit is oscillating.

This may be determined by the sound in the head phone which is similar to a hissing sound.

By the use of this set, signals from damped or spark stations will be distorted but readable. Instead of coming in with a high pitched note the signal will sound mushy. Undamped or continuous waves (either telegraph or telephone) will come in their natural tone.

A howling noise may be heard. This indicates that you have too much variation of the plate variometer, or too much "B" battery. The plate variometer is frequently referred to as the "tickler."

RADIO BROADCASTS FOR THIS EVENING

The regular nightly schedule of the Amrod station, W.G.L., for tonight will be as follows:

7.45—Late News Flashes.
7.45—Police Reports.
8.00—Weekly Fashion Talk by Miss Harriet E. Ainsworth.
8.15—"The Story of Engineering" by Professor Gardner Chace Anthony, A. M. Sc.D., Dean of the Tufts Engineering School.
8.30—Philip A. Richenburgh, Tenor. Selections: "Celeste Aide" (Verdi); "Vale" (Russell) "Her Rose" (Rosa); "I Hear You Calling Me" (Marshall.)

Vessels Raided in Irish Ports

Continued

at yesterday's meeting of the corporation secured the unanimous adoption of a resolution endorsing the manifesto of the labor party and the Trades union congress, issued Thursday night, calling for a one day's strike and demanding action by the Dail Eireann. The resolution directs that all civil offices be closed on the day of this strike, except such as are absolutely necessary.

Appealing to the people to "draw the teeth of the military," the lord mayor described how the people of Dublin nightly were compelled to leave their beds and crouch on floors and hallways in fear of stray bullets, and continued:

"I neither know, nor care, who is accountable, but such scenes would draw tears from stones. What in the name of God is it all about? Is it to bolster up the army that we got rid of the British army? Why not get rid also of the Irish armies? We can dispense with them.

"Send these young men of both armies home; let them do a decent day's work before they become demoralized. Clear these bullies of the night out of the city employ; the money they cost would build houses.

"I have sufficient confidence in the citizens that we would then have peace. Let the militarists take heed. They may override the will of the people, which intends to crush them and which will prevail!"

The Irish teachers' conference has also adopted a resolution in favor of joining the one day strike.

Catholics Being Exterminated

BELFAST, April 22 (By the Associated Press).—The Catholic protection committee last night sent the following telegram to Winston Spencer ment leader in the house of commons; and Austen Chamberlain, the government leder in the house of commons:

"Belfast Catholics are being gradually, but certainly, exterminated by murder, assault and starvation. Their homes are burned, streets are swept by snipers and life is unbearable. The military forces are inadequate. The special police are hostile.

"The northern government either is culpable or inefficient. Our government saved the Armenians and Bulgarians. Belfast Catholics are getting worse treatment. The last two days here have been appalling."

ORDER RESTORED IN BELFAST

BELFAST, April 22 (By Associated Press) This city returned to comparative quiet today, after a series of grave disorders ushered in with Easter. The only incident reported early in the day was the wounding of a special constable who was struck in the leg by a bullet fired from a window on Dock street. James Greer, who was shot during the sniping on the Albert Bridge road in East Belfast Thursday, died this forenoon.

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If you have parts of your automobile or your stove do not throw them away, but take the pieces to the Acme Welding Works at 16-18 Perry street and the expert employes of the company will weld them for you at a small expense. This firm is one of the most reliable of its kind in this city and it guarantees all its work.

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CITY BUILDING AND PLANNING

It was hoped that this would be a good building year and it may be in spite of the fact that the cost of labor and material has not been reduced to the extent generally anticipated. There is a demand for more dwellings and there may be more factories built this year despite the depression; but had the building trades lowered their prices, say 10 or 15 per cent, that alone would have given a great impetus to the building operations for the season. It would probably have encouraged some property owners to undertake the construction of large buildings, or at least some more substantial than those now underway.

Up to the present, it has been noticed that most of the building in progress consists of flimsy structures, in some instances so crowded together as to constitute a veritable fire menace. It seems that if our present building laws do not prohibit such crowding of buildings, they should be promptly amended. When tenement houses are so close that boys can almost jump from one to another, there is need of some authority to insist upon less crowding and more space between the buildings, as well as more land for yard purposes.

Something is wrong when such crowding of buildings can take place without any interference from our municipal authorities. It is this species of municipal negligence that has permitted the growth of veritable rookeries and fire traps, not only in Lowell, but in other New England cities. It is high time that the practice were stopped for many reasons. In the first place, such crowding of tenement houses means congestion and a menace to health. Secondly, it means a fire menace to the surrounding district. The people who want tenements at moderate rent because they are unable to pay the rents prevailing in better residential districts, should be protected against the well-known evils of congestion. It is where such conditions prevail that the infant mortality is greatest in summer, and this through no fault of the people who are obliged by circumstances to occupy such tenements. The blame and the entire responsibility reverts to the municipal authorities who should not permit such conditions.

Lowell is not the only city that has been seriously injured by the desire of certain owners or contractors to erect perhaps twenty houses on a piece of land big enough for only one-fourth the number. The city officials who permit such doubtful enterprises are fully as bad as the contractors. It is time we discovered that there is such a thing as city planning, for which some municipal department should be responsible. So far as streets are concerned, we presume the board of public service must be consulted; but in reference to the buildings whether they are up to the standard necessary for the comfort and safety of the occupants, is a matter that should engage our building department. In the past, this city has suffered in the character of its buildings, the direction, width and regularity of its streets, because real estate owners were allowed to build tenement property and lay out new streets with no other thought than to make as much money as possible out of the enterprise.

It was undoubtedly the same kind of commercial spirit and municipal tolerance that gave Boston her crooked and irregular streets, an evil which is now irremediable. It is assuredly time for Lowell to consider the needs of the modern city and to insist upon wider streets than were formerly the vogue and to pass an ordinance prohibiting the crowding of buildings so close together that they offer all the conditions favorable to a conflagration.

This is an evil that should be corrected forthwith in the interest of the public welfare, public safety, and to ensure every family in Lowell sufficient breathing space under healthful conditions. There should be no lowering of standards in tenement property because of the housing shortage.

NEW ENGLAND MENACED

Since the textile strikes started in New England, we have heard much of the disadvantages under which her industries have to work on account of long railroad hauls, the longer working hours in the south and competition from other parts of the country.

For many years New England has held a position of supremacy in the textile and several other important industries, but recently, it seems that instead of holding a foremost place, New England has dropped backward chiefly because of discriminatory railroad rates. In the past, too, the New England industries were favored not only in railroad services but in tariff imposts, chiefly through the influence of her senators and congressmen. Now, however, even this influence is largely overcome by the agricultural and other blocs that within the last year or two have exercised a controlling power over congress in the interest of the west, middle west and south.

At the present time New England influence apparently is overborne by combinations from other parts of the country, chiefly the south and the west. The time has arrived at which it is necessary for all the New England states to join their forces in the interest of their industries to the end that all present discriminations shall be removed and that in the new tariff bill now under consideration, the industries of this district shall be duly protected. If foreign goods are dumped upon American shores, they will injure the New England industries to a greater extent than those farther west or those of the south.

It seems that the obstacles beset ting New England are not fully appreciated by some of the parties now involved in the various industrial conflicts; but the adverse conditions must be met and overcome by co-operation and persistent work to keep New England to the front as a manufacturing and commercial centre. To this end our senators and congressmen must unite on a fixed policy; otherwise New England will be subject to still greater discrimination through the opposition of rival blocs and interests.

The textile industries on the banks of the Merrimack have an advantage in deriving a share of their power—perhaps one-third—at a cheap rate from the Merrimack river. That advantage helps to offset the disadvantages from distance from the cotton belt and the coal mines. The high freight rates are breaking the backs of many New England industries, and for this there seems to be no sign of immediate relief, although freight rates like the cost of other lines of service must ultimately come down. The manufacturers have already turned to the motor truck for freighting purposes on short hauls; but not until the Merrimack river is made navigable from Lowell to the sea will the mills of the Merrimack Valley be able to defy competition from any source whatsoever.

That the river will be made navigable at some future time, is unquestionable. It is an imperative necessity for Massachusetts, but until it comes, New England will have to put up a vigorous fight for her industrial existence.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Among the encouraging messages issued by business corporations there is perhaps none more optimistic than that recently sent out by J. Ogden Armour who says in effect there is evidence of business recovery on every hand. Industries which have marked time for many months are now proceeding with their plans and it is important that all the people should recognize the fact that conditions have materially improved, as upon their making the best use of present opportunities, will largely depend the early return of prosperity. There is undoubtedly, as Mr. Armour states, an opportunity to aid in this business recovery by co-operation and combined effort. Optimism, courage and determination will tide over difficult times; but as now appears the chief difficulties have been passed and the present outlook for business and improved economic conditions is better than at any time since the close of hostilities. The price of farm products, the basis of all prosperity, have advanced and with these approaching a parity with the prices of other goods, one of the great obstacles to healthy business growth has been removed. It is time, therefore, to put aside everything savoring of business pessimism and to get in line with the onward march of prosperity.

It is true that Lowell, Lawrence and other New England cities and towns in which textile strikes are in progress, are seriously handicapped; but with the settlement of these troubles which, it is hoped, will come very soon, it is expected that business will be resumed with somewhat of a rush and that all hands will be employed full time in all our factories.

FITZGERALD'S CANDIDACY

Hon. John F. Fitzgerald has announced his platform as candidate for governor and it is one that will certainly appeal strongly to a large proportion of the citizens of this commonwealth. The Boston ex-mayor is a wily politician and a good campaigner. The chief features of his platform are such as will enable him to keep his republican opponent on the anxious seat until the votes are counted. At present it seems that he will have no opposition in the primaries.

Governor Cox cannot afford to regard Mr. Fitzgerald as a "joke" candidate for the reason that as a campaigner, the latter can show up republican maladministration, perhaps better than any other man in the democratic ranks. This year especially, there is a vast amount of good campaign material to be brought before the voters as showing republican shortcomings and corruption. This state is republican, of course, but is not so politically hidebound as to uphold the entire party ticket if anybody comes forward to show that the nominees or any of them have betrayed the public trust or played false to the people.

With Mr. Fitzgerald conducting a vigorous campaign for governor and Col. Gaston or Sherman Whipple opposing Mr. Lodge for the United States senate, we may expect to see an exceedingly lively campaign. It can be said in advance that if the republicans elect their candidates for the two offices mentioned, and there is nothing certain about it in either case, they will have won a victory where their opponents had a good fighting chance.

THE NESMITH FUND

The city should restore the Nesmith fund and then appeal to the legislature for permission to turn it back to the trustees. Why should the municipality be forever burdened by any such responsibility? If we want to borrow money for charitable work, we can borrow an amount equal to the Nesmith fund at half the rate of interest. These bequests that have a string attached to them, should be rejected. They impose a responsibility that no city should assume. The Shedd park gift was of a very different kind. The Nesmith fund takes $1500 from the city annually without any visible return.

TRY 10 PER CENT.

If the New England mills that have declared a cut down of 20 per cent. would change the drawes to 10 per cent. we venture to say that the strikers would accept and go back to work. Rather than prolong the ruinous struggle, why not settle it on this 50-50 compromise? We do not know how either side would meet such a proposition in this city; but we feel that it would be the easiest and best method of settlement for all concerned. When the new tariff law goes into effect, prices of textile fabrics will bound upward and then there will be a fight for an increase of wages. If the 20 per cent. cut is enforced now, the operatives would demand its restoration soon after the tariff law is put in operation. If there is sharp competition between the New England mills and those of the south, the latter have a great chance to forge ahead while their competitors are taking a long vacation.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

The open season for automobiles started last Sunday with a series of accidents that were quite alarming. It appears that for some reason or other we still have reckless drivers on public highways who disregard the common rules of the road and fail to take necessary precautions at street intersections or places in which the view ahead is obstructed. So much has been said in regard to the causes of automobile accidents that one might suppose the rules were all thoroughly understood by every driver. Nevertheless, it is very plain that if understood they are in a great many cases completely ignored, with the result that every holiday and every Sunday brings a new list of fatal accidents.

LAVISH RADIO FANS

Radio fans are spending $5,000,000 a week on wireless equipment, according to some manufacturers' sales estimates.

Here is a gigantic new industry, springing up faster even than the automobile and moving pictures in their early days.

Our ancestors, when they started shifting for themselves, had very few lines to choose from. Farming was the standby. Trades and professions were few.

Each year brings a greater number of big opportunities from which the young man can take his pick and the coming years are likely to be quite as prolific in such opportunities as any we have seen.

ONE GOOD SIGN

More than 1,000,000 shares of stock are sold in two hours on the New York stock exchange.

The wave of speculation is a gambling bet that the country is headed toward better business conditions.

It is a manifestation of the return of public courage, absolutely necessary for business revival.

In the last analysis, Woodrow Wilson was right when he said that the hard times of 1914 were largely psychological.

Fear is the regulator of general business. For that matter, of nearly everything else.

The Street Railway company says it will have to increase the fares or else curtail the service in this city in order to make the business pay. If it lowered fares on short routes, it would have more business and more profit. An increase of fares would cause the people to walk or else ride in jitneys. Why should the Street Railway make a poorer showing in Lowell than in Lawrence and other cities of like conditions?

Lowell will soon have two splendid new buildings of which it may well feel proud—the Memorial Auditorium and the new high school. They are both greatly needed, the school for the rising generation and the Auditorium as a public hall or series of halls in which all classes can enjoy instructive lectures, concerts and even dramatic performances. This will give our city a new and permanent source of culture and educational progress.

Governor Edwards of New Jersey, who has been an out and out opponent of prohibition, has announced himself as a candidate for the United States senate against Senator Frelinghuysen, the republican. We doubt whether he will succeed on an anti-Volstead platform even in a district in which he ran ahead as candidate for governor.

Officer Spillane, who with Officer Liston, captured the professional burglar on Thursday evening, deserves the highest commendation the department can offer. It was a fine piece of work and one that has placed in custody a most dangerous criminal.

Lloyd George's proposed peace pact of 34 nations, if realized, would leave the League of Nations without a cause d'etre. Still there cannot be too many "pacts" to prevent the nations from engaging in a titanic struggle of mutual destruction.

Apparently the manufacturers of moonshine stills are enjoying a great wave of prosperity.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

A superior court jury brought in a verdict for the defendant in the case of Krupski vs. the Boston & Maine. Mrs. Krupski sought to recover $5000 for the damages.

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SEEN AND HEARD

A step in time saves getting run over.

Only neighbor we think is out of debt is the one we owe.

We need ice men who know the difference between tomatoes on ice and ice on tomatoes.

Our rising generation is going to the dogs; but rising generations always have done that.

A man is not eligible for the hall of fame until 10 years after his death. That's another thing to worry the college seniors.

Preserving Health

"According to this authority, wearing clothes has undermined the health of South Sea Islanders, who thrived in Nature's garb." "Maybe so," said Mr. Grumpson. "If that's the case the South Sea Island dancers I've seen in cabarets ought to have robust constitutions."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Thought For Today

These clumsy feet, still in the mire
Go crushing blossoms without end;
These hard, well-meaning hands we thrust
Among the heart-strings of a friend.
Earth holds no balsam for mistakes:
Men crown the knave, and scourge the tool
That did his will: but Thou, O Lord,
Be merciful to me, a fool.

—EDWARD ROWLAND SILL.

A Word a Day

Today's word is vassal. It's pronounced—vass-al, with accent on the first syllable. It means a servant bondsman, subject, dependent. It comes from—"vassalus," page, servant. Companion words—vassalage, vassalism, vassalize. It's used like this—"American working men are independent; they do not wish to occupy the status of vassals."

Knew What She Wished

A downtown bookseller repeats this conversation between herself and a woman customer:

"Say, I want to get a book for my husband."

"What kind of a book?"

"Well, I hardly know."

"A book of travels?"

"No."

"A love story?"

"Nothing like that."

"A book of science?"

"No, nothing on science."

"A book of adventure?"

"No."

"You don't want fiction, then?"

"Yes, yes, that's it. I want a book on fiction."—Indianapolis News.

"Bless His Little Heart!"

Mother was much surprised when Jimmie came up to her and said:

"Mother, didn't you say last week that you wanted the carving knife and the chopper sharpened?"

"Yes, I did," admitted Mrs. Green. "Bless your little heart! How thoughtful you are!"

"Well, I'll take them 'round to the cutler's for you," was the next unexpected offer.

"How sweet of you to offer to do such a thing for your mother! I'll wrap them up," replied Mrs. Greene gratefully.

"No, no!" answered Jimmie quickly. "Don't wrap them up, I want them to show. There's a boy out there waiting to fight me, but I fancy that when he sees me coming with these he'll go home."—London Answers.

Temperatures Underground

It used to be thought that the temperature increased at a fairly regular rate with descent into the crust of the earth, but it appears that recent measurements in deep mines and borings do not bear out the assumption. Some investigators are now disposed to think that, instead of regularly increasing, the temperature is not far from stationary below the superficial zone. In the Witwatersand mines the average rate of increase, carried down to 8000 feet, is only one degree Fahrenheit for each 250 feet of descent. The bottom temperature is 102.35 degrees. Measurements in other places have given various results. In the Kalgoorlie mines, in Australia, practically no variation of temperature is shown between depths of 1400 and 2300 feet. The result of recent figures shows that there is no general law governing the increase of rock temperature with depth.—Washington Star.

She Was Too Busy

Here is a story which should be appreciated just now. It is credited indirectly to Pres. John J. Stanley of the Cleveland Railway company.

When the troops were coming home a former motorman called at the railway office to ask for his old job. He was a Canadian and had enlisted with a Dominion contingent. Wounded in France, he was invalided with others to London for a short leave. Arriving at Paddington station the men were served with refreshments and given unremitting attention by a group of Red Cross women.

Attracted by a girl in comely uniform who waited upon him, the young Canadian lingered, ostensibly for a second helping of rolls and coffee, but in reality to further a pleasant acquaintance.

Finally he made bold to ask the girl to go to the theatre with him.

"I cannot, thank you," she replied simply. "We are too busy here."

Still interested, the young soldier approached the staid matron in charge of the group and inquired the name of the attractive girl.

"The one over there?" she repeated as she looked in the direction he indicated. "Why, that," and there was awe as well as pride in her tone, "that is Princess Mary."

And in spite of his disabling wound the soldier hastily lost himself in the crowd.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mayflowers

Violets for the lovers,
Lilies for the old,
Pansies for the single folks,
Roses for the bold,
Hollyhocks for Englishmen,
Stiff beside a wall—
But the early dainty Mayflowers
I love the best of all.

Jonquils for a garden,
Tulips for its edge,
Climbing crimson ramblers
To reach the window-ledge,
Morning glories for the porch
When the dawn-winds call—
But Mayflowers in the early woods
I think are best of all.

—H. W. MELVIN in The Boston Globe.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

It has been brought to my attention that merchants on Central street who are obliged to place boxes and barrels of refuse on the curb for collection, often take no precautions against wind and as a result before the ash collectors arrive the contents of whatever is put out are pretty well strewn over the sidewalk and street. As a rule the refuse is put out the night before and unless it is protected in some way loose stuff is easy prey for the night winds and the aspect the following morning is hardly pleasing. The men of the waste collection department are forced to spend time picking up whatever has been blown into the street. This is not only a useless waste but might be overcome by a little precaution on the part of those whose duty it is to place the containers on the curb.

Hundreds of Lowell householders sorrowfully gazed on empty coal bins Thursday night and Friday morning, while the thermometer did tricks not far from the freezing mark. It is disconcerting to find the supply absolutely exhausted just at a time when winter decides to favor us with one more dying gasp and on such an occurrence it is so easy to think back and remember days when we snapped our fingers at care and expense and tossed in another shovelful just for luck, when we could easily have gotten along without it. 'Twas always thus—in the days of plenty thoughts of the future come but seldom.

It was a disappointed crowd of anxious spectators who left the city council chamber at city hall Thursday night shortly after 9 o'clock when that august body adjourned without doing any of the things the on-lookers expected it to do. Nine out of every ten men who were present were there simply and solely to be amused, or, at least, to see some "action," and when it merely was routine city business that was transacted, chagrin and disappointment clearly was manifested. Perhaps the council is tiring of playing the role of performer, but we venture a guess that there will be standing-room only again next Tuesday night.

Not long ago we heard of a bet that in other years was an annual occurrence, and which now seems to have passed out of popularity. It was a wager on the length of time, or rather, on the date that the huge pile of snow in the lee of the Gage ice houses in Pawtucket street would disappear. Without doubt snow accumulations there withstand the rigors of spring and summer sun longer than in any other place in the city and maybe others continue the wager custom which friends of mine used to make an annual event. If we remember correctly the loser provided the dinner in the old days.

Speaking of the Gage Co., I understand that its business at the pond in South Chelmsford has grown to such an extent that this summer lodging houses in tenement type will be erected there for employes. It has been found that it is not easy to get men to make the trip to the village daily and the company feels that housing facilities will solve the problem.

Have we spoken before of the need of a white stop pole in Appleton street opposite Eliot street? If so, pardon the repetition, but inasmuch as no such stop has been placed there, we venture to suggest it again. There is a pole stop there for outward bound cars and it is used by many people, but an inbound stop also would be used to a great extent, for invariably on many trips during the day, Westford and Chelmsford street cars leave passengers at South street who would get off at Eliot street if it were possible. Then again, it would be much appreciated by the Presbyterian church on Sundays.

How do you like the new white crossing lines downtown? It is a metropolitan idea that is rapidly being carried out in cities not quite in that class, but that have vexing traffic problems to solve. There are persons, of course, who will refuse to use the crossing lanes simply because they are there, feeling that their rights as American citizens are being abridged. In fact we overheard one man make just such a statement. But, on the whole they seem to be appreciated and there is no doubt but that they will prove a great benefit and help.

Remarks by Charles S. O'Connor of the Boston school committee at the Knights of Columbus' Patriots day observance, relative to the naming of squares in honor of dead soldiers of the late war, must have carried a great deal of significance to the Lowell men present. Mr. O'Connor remarked that some better way of honoring the heroic dead should be found than by naming squares in their honor, for the sign post bearing the name is certain to fall in time and with its fall dies the memory of the hero whose name it bore. In Lowell, through the efforts of the legion and various patriotic individuals, several squares have been designated to commemorate the services of the city's dead soldiers, and there is little doubt that great numbers of our citizens are in perfect accord with Mr. O'Connor's views. Even now, but a short time after the naming of a number of squares in this manner, it is believed that few citizens ever think of calling them by their new names.

Police Officer Paul M Spillane is receiving the congratulations of his comrades and superior officers on his excellent work in capturing, with the assistance of Officer Liston, the burglar who created such havoc in downtown buildings Thursday night. Officers and men feel that if the marauder had been allowed to escape the department would have had to bear the brunt of a great deal of criticism, and Paul Spillane's capture has fended off such a distasteful situation. Officer Spillane, although still a super nerary, is considered one of the finest members of the force, and on one other occasion at least has won favorable notice. This incident occurred when a man who was trying to pass a worthless bill in a store on South street became frightened and took to his heels. The man was followed by a small boy who attracted Officer Spillane's attention on reaching Tilden street, and the man was put under arrest by the officer after considerable difficulty. The young officer is a former member of Co. M of the Old Ninth regiment, and saw service on the Mexican border and in France, being wounded and decorated for bravery in action in the latter campaign.

After Using It Twenty Years

Mr. Fred N. Henderson of Orono, Maine, writes, "I consider the Tonic, "L.F." Atwood Medicine, the best remedy for headaches, loss of appetite, dyspepsia, and as a cathartic. You may use my name in praising it." Many others have found it a faithful friend, always dependable and helpful.

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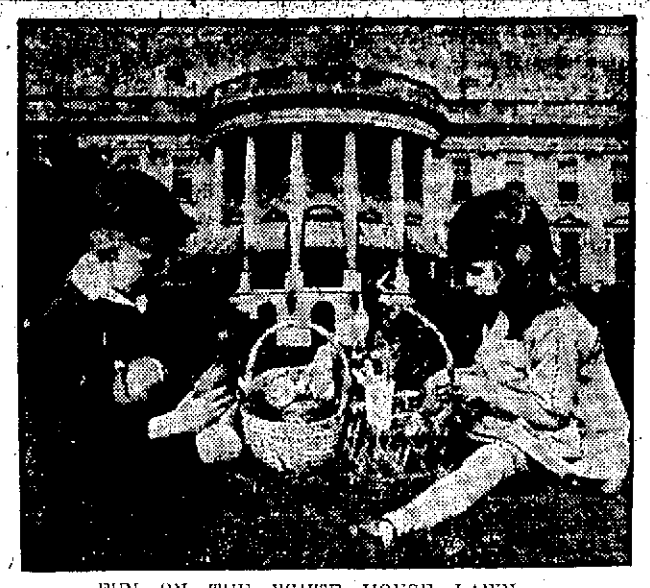

FUN ON THE WHITE HOUSE LAWN

Jimmy and Mary O'Malley getting set to roll their Easter eggs on the White House lawn. It was some fun!

Intrepid Postman Rescued at Sea

SYDNEY, N. S., April 22.—Daniel R. McNeil, intrepid postman, who braved ice floes in his motorboat to deliver mail along the coast when the roads became impassible and was blown to sea Wednesday and given up for lost, has been rescued by a searching party. News of his safety was received today.

N. Y. Cotton Exchange in New Quarters

NEW YORK, April 22.—The New York cotton exchange was closed today while scores of workmen moved its records and equipment to temporary quarters at 90 Wall street. The present building at 60 Beaver street, will be torn down and replaced by a 22-story building, the 17th floor of which will be devoted to cotton trading.

U. S. Ambassador Received at Berlin

BERLIN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Alanson B. Houghton, the new American ambassador to Germany, presented his credentials today to President Ebert, who received him in the presence of Dr. Haniel von Haimhausen, under secretary for the foreign office. Councillor von Guelich of the German foreign office, also was present. Ambassador Houghton was accompanied by the embassy staff. The ceremonies lasted less than 15 minutes.

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Love Made Me, Says Wife, Explaining 350 Burglaries

MRS. GERTRUDE HARTUNG AND HER HUSBAND, PAUL

By ROY GIBBONS

CHICAGO, April 21.—A man and wife, she pushing a baby cab in which smiled a bouncing baby boy, for weeks were familiar figures to residents of Chicago's aristocratic North Side.

Then their daily promenades stopped.

Police had arrested them on a charge of having committed more than 350 burglaries, with loot totaling more than $100,000.

They charged this loot was removed beneath the robes of the perambulator, alongside the smiling infant, and that the wife was the acomplice, acting as lookout with the baby cab as a shield while her husband pillaged homes.

Bail Is High

The man, who said he was Paul Hartung, a painter, is held in $25,000 bail. His wife, Gertrude, has been temporarily released as she expects soon to become a mother again.

Officials in charge of the case say both have confessed. And Mrs. Hartung discussed the case freely.

"Paul couldn't get a job and we were hungry," she says. "At first he stole only food from ice boxes. I tried to dissuade him, but finally I went along and helped.

"There was nothing left but starvation. If Paul loved me enough to steal so that I and the baby might live, I cannot see sow I did wrong by aiding him in what appeared to be our only chance to live.

Done For Love

"I did it because I loved him. Nothing else matters."

"I am not a thief at heart," says the husband. "There was no work, and I couldn't let my family suffer."

Arrest of the couple came when police said they found Mrs. Hartung pawning stolen goods.

For months the mysterious thefts kept Chicago's "Gold Coast" on edge. Because the burglaries always were committed in the afternoon, the "Coast" gave those responsible the name "matinee burglars."

ARRESTS INCREASE 50 P. C. SINCE DRY LAW

NEW YORK, April 22.—Arrests have increased nearly 50 per cent since prohibition went into effect, according to statistics made public at police headquarters here.

Arrests numbered 187,618 in 1917. They had increased to 272,751 in 1921, the greatest number of arrests on record. According to these figures, about one person in every 25 in New York city was arrested in 1921, or one arrest for every five average families. According to the charge of the Citizens' union, the regular policy had been adopted under the Enright administration of making arrests for every offence, regardless of whether the prisoner was the right man or the wrong man. This organization asserted that, in spite of the increased arrests, convictions for murder, robberies and other major crimes had fallen to a low level during Commissioner Enright's term.

Increase in Drunken Policemen

One of the curiosities of the figures made public yesterday is that, although arrests for drunkenness have fallen off under prohibition as far as the general public is concerned, the number of policemen tried on charges of being intoxicated has increased considerably.

During the present year, since the police have been charged with the enforcement of the state dry law, the number of policemen up for trial on charges of being intoxicated reached the total of 31, the highest on several years. At the same time complaint of the loss of evidence after liquor raids have been frequent.

The fewest charges of intoxication against policemen occurred in 1917, when only 13 were on trial for this offence. The increase has been as follows.

In 1918, 15 charged with drunkenness; in 1919, 16; in 1920, 24; in 1921, 31.

The decrease in arrests for drunkenness among the general public from year to year is shown as follows: In 1916, 19,453 arrests; 1917, 16,311; 1918, 8796; 1919, 7028; 1920, 7804; 1921, 8169.

Arrests for crimes of all sorts from 1915 to 1921 are shown as follows: In 1915, 213,452; 1916, 200,901; 1917, 187,613; 1918, 170,159; 1919, 220,249; 1920, 266,749; 1921, 272,751.

To check the increase in intoxication among policemen, three policemen convicted of this offence were dismissed from the force last week. Lighter penalties had been previously inflicted. According to the reports of the welfare commissioner and Dr. M. S. Gregory of Bellevue hospital, the average case of intoxication has been far more serious than was formerly the case, because of the drinking of raw liquor and the use of various poisons as liquor. Deaths from alcoholism have increased 50 per cent 1921 over 1920, according to insurance statistics recently made public.

CHILDREN'S OFFERINGS AT CATHEDRAL

On Saturday, April 29, two children from each of the Episcopal churches in the city will go to Boston to attend the annual presentation of Children's Offerings at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

The morning service will begin at 11 o'clock and will be for the older delegates from the church schools of the diocese of Massachusetts, who will make reports of the work accomplished during the year, and plan for the coming year. At 12 o'clock there will be a service of thanksgiving and devotion. At 12.15 the exposition of the work done by the church school service league of the various schools in the diocese will be opened.

The afternoon service will begin at 2 o'clock. There will be a half-hour musical service, when children from the church school choirs of Greater Boston will lead the singing. These are not the boy choirs of the various churches, but the children who form the church school choirs and lead their school singing every Sunday. About 60 boys and girls will form this choir.

At 2.30 the service of greatest interest to the children will begin. At this service the little delegates will take the money gathered in their schools during Lent and as the name of their school is called carry it to the chancel steps where Dr. Arthur K. Gardiner, diocesan treasurer, will receive it.

To bring a vivid picture before the children of what their money is going to do a real live missionary, Rev. Francis J. M. Cotter, will tell stories of what he knows about children in China, a thousand miles up the Yangtse river.

Mr. Cotter's post of duty is Wuchang, where, for the past seven years he has been in charge of St. Andrew's church. There are two Wuchangs—one a sleepy old city of ancient China, where all the quaint customs and methods of 2000 years ago prevail; and the other a wide-awake, industrial Wuchang, bearing all the aspects of any one of the hundred twentieth century cities of America.

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10 tons loose hay, No. 1.

Req. 1608, Chelmsford St. Hospital.
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Req. 1637, Chelmsford St. Hospital
15 chests tea.
100 bushels potatoes.
1000 lbs. butterine.
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EDWARD H. FOTK
Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., April 21, 1922.

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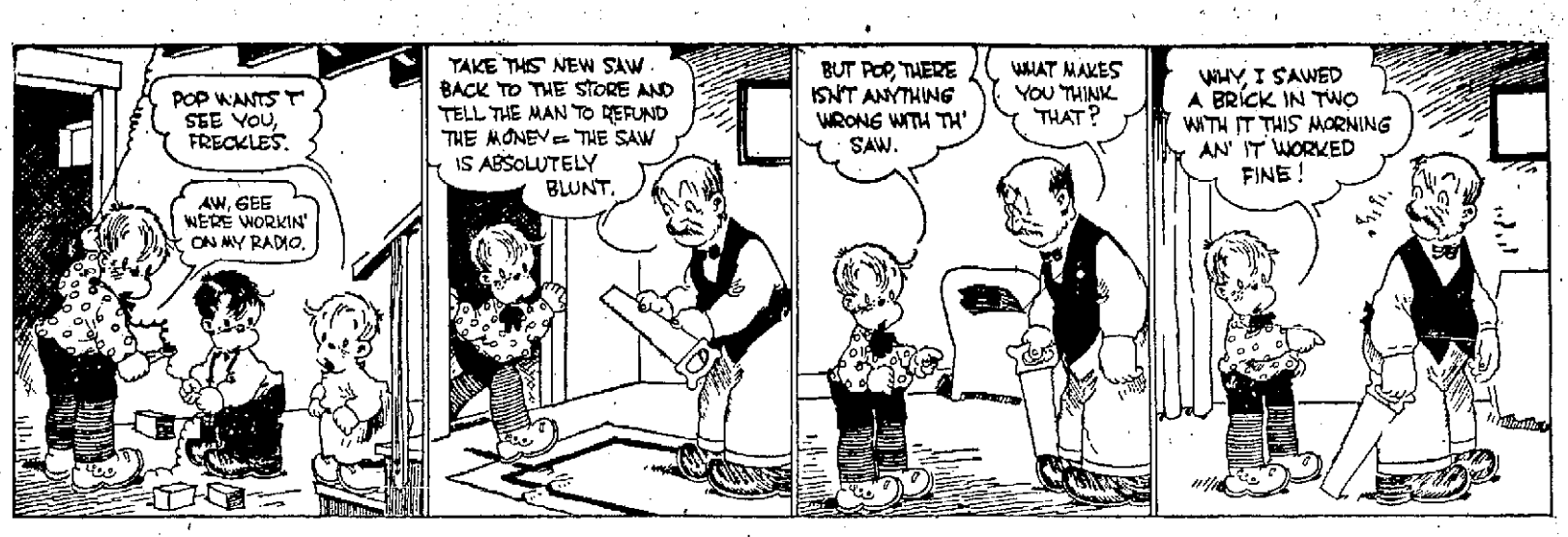

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Men's Good Quality Muslin Night Shirts, cut full and long **$1.15**

Men's Silk Shirts, in heavy fiber tub or broadcloth silk. A good selection of patterns in demand for spring wear, well made with soft turn-back cuffs **$4.95**

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Mongolia's Independence Proclaimed

COPENHAGEN, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—A Helsingfors despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., states that the North Mongolian government, in Urga at the instigation of the Moscow government, has proclaimed Mongolia's independence of China. The Urga government, says the message, also has concluded a treaty with the Russian government under which the latter pledges active support to Mongolia in the event of a Chinese invasion.

France Protests German Reply to Note

GENOA, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The French delegation to the economic conference has submitted a protest against the German reply to the allied note in which the Germans stated they would refrain from discussing Russian questions settled in the Russo-German treaty. The French contend that the Germans, under their reply, may insist upon discussing other Russian questions.

Gompers Refuses to Withdraw Attack

NEW YORK, April 22.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, told the Lockwood legislative committee today that he would rather see expelled union men go without redress than submit their cases to the courts. Samuel Untermeyer, committee counsel sought to have Mr. Gompers withdraw the attack he made yesterday on members of the legal profession, but he replied: "I cannot and I will not."

SHOE MANUFACTURERS ACCEPT MAYOR'S OFFER

LYNN, April 22.—Mayor Harland McPhetres today had the reply of the Lynn Shoe Manufacturers' association and the joint council of the United Shoe Workers of America to his recent proposal for appointment of a committee of three to draw up a new working agreement. The answer of the Allied Shoe Workers' union has not yet been received.

The manufacturers informed the mayor that they accepted the suggestion, but asked that a committee of two be appointed, representing the union and the employers. The mayor had suggested a neutral as a third party.

The joint council reported acceptance of the proposal and said its locals would be asked to vote on the question next Friday night.

Representatives of the Allied Shoe Workers conferred today with the manufacturers' committee.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE IS DISMISSED

Edward B. Everett was discharged on a charge of manslaughter, brought against him in connection with the death of a child, when he appeared before Judge Thomas J. Enright in district court this morning.

The charge was placed against Everett several weeks ago, following the death of the child, who was killed when run down by a coal truck driven by Everett.

The court said that Judge Fisher's report of the inquest absolved Everett or any other persons from criminal negligence in connection with the death of the youngster.

The case has been listed on the court docket several times in the past two months, but each time disposition has been held up pending the result of the inquest.

STRIPPING OF PUPILS PROTESTED

NORTON, April 22.—Asserting that the methods adopted by Dr. Earl R. White of Attleboro, local school physician, in his practice of stripping the pupils to the waistline in conducting physical examinations, are "un-American, unnecessary, disgraceful and disgusting," and tend to "Russianize America," Walter C. H. Wood, former school committeeman, ex-tax collector and wealthy business man, threatens to inaugurate an extensive advertising campaign of protest circularizing the entire town, demanding Dr. White's cessation of method by the school board or his subsequent dismissal from office and addressing mass meetings of indignation.

The matter reached a climax yesterday when Dr. White and Mr. Wood met in the Norton Centre school, and after an argument Dr. White, with clenched fist, threatened to eject Mr. Wood from the room.

Mr. Wood bases his protest on the fact that the practice of disrobing children without the consent of the parents is illegal, and says that if Dr. White persists in his present methods, he will apply for a warrant charging the physician with assault. Mr. Wood has a son, Arthur C. Wood, who is a pupil in the seventh grade, and he has given him instructions to refuse to submit to an examination.

LESS UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, April 22.—In the past 30 days employment figures have shown a decided and continued upward trend in all sections of the country. Today's bulletin from the president's conference on unemployment, based on figures from the United States employment service, states that for every 1000 jobs available there are now 160 applicant, as against 226 in January.

In other words, where there was work for only 44 per cent of the seekers three months ago, there are now jobs for 62 per cent. Based on an estimate of 3,500,000 jobless, this means employment for 636,000 individuals.

In January there were 39 applicants placed out of every 100. For the first week in April the number has gone up to 50.

RICHARDS APPOINTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR

Joseph L. Richards of 134 Mt. Hope street has been appointed a deputy collector of internal revenue for Massachusetts and will take up his new work next Monday. The appointment came from the office of Malcolm D. Nichols, collector for this state.

Mr. Richards is prominently identified with a number of local organizations and has served a number of terms as president of the C.M.A.C.

HUB BRICKLAYERS WANT $1 AN HOUR

BOSTON, April 22.—Union bricklayers of this city filed today a demand for a dollar an hour wage, effective next Monday. The present rate is 90 cents.

The building trades industry has been operating on an open shop basis here since a strike last year.

IMPORTANT ACTS PASSED BY R. I. LEGISLATURE

PROVIDENCE, April 22.—The Rhode Island legislature adjourned at 7 o'clock this morning sine die, after a final day's session that began at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Among the important acts that were passed were:

Act to provide for enforcement of national prohibition in Rhode Island, reorganization of state penal and charitable commission; act appropriating $25,000 for the relief of disabled ex-service men out of employment; providing for an inquiry into the field of mothers' pensions; act levying additional three cent tax for support of state roads and accepting provisions of federal highway act; act providing that children from 14 to 16 years of age may work only after completing sixth grade or its equivalent; proposing referendums on state bond issues of $2,000,000 for a new Providence courthouse; $350,000 for new Newport courthouse; $500,000 for reconstruction of bridges on state highway system; act creating joint special committee on laws of state relating to women; and appropriation of $70,000 for a fireboat for Providence harbor.

OFFERS CHATEAU TO D. OF A. R.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Miss Anna Klumke has offered the chateau near Fontainebleau, France, occupied by the late Rosa Bonheur as a studio and in which the famous artist executed most of her animal paintings, to the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The chateau was bequeathed to Miss Klumke by Miss Bonheur, and the former desires to will the estate to the D.A.R. as a memorial in recognition of the friendship between the United States and France.

It was proposed in the offer submitted to the D.A.R. congress today, that a colony for American art students be established there.

The offer was referred to the national board of management with instructions to report at the next congress.

DENBY TO CONFER WITH NAVAL LEADERS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Secretary Denby will hold an important conference Monday with Admiral Jones, commanding the Atlantic fleet, Admiral Coontz, chief of naval operations and probably Rear Admiral Wilson, commanding at the naval academy, during which decision will be reached as to several matters of vital importance to the navy.

The fleet started north from Guantanamo today, for the southern drill grounds and will arrive there April 27. Between that day and May 5, additional exercises in gunnery will be held and subsequently the vessels will be sent to their home yards.

GOV. COX NOT TO TAKE ACTION

BOSTON, April 22.—Gov. Cox said today that none of the persons whom Eugene C. Hultman, chairman of the commission on necessaries of life, reported as having threatened his removal because of his activity in curbing unfair prices, had complained of Mr. Hultman to the executive office. For that reason, the governor said, no further action would be taken in the matter. The governor's announcement follows his receipt from Mr. Hultman of the names of those who made the threats.

TO SETTLE CLAIMS OF $1,000,000

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Authority for the secretary of the navy to settle about $1,000,000 of claims of naval contractors, arising from alleged losses suffered by governmental action during the war, would be given under a bill by Senator Poindexter, republican, Washington, passed today by the senate. Similar power already has been given other departments.

Exam for Radio Operators

Continued

operation and a technical explanation of how the equipment functions. He was questioned also on government rules and regulations relative to the handling of radio traffic.

Mr. Butterworth will announce the results of the examination some time next week and says he feels confident most of the examinees will pass, although a few failures are certain.

Relative to these examinations, it is stated that the government desires proof that all amateur operators have the necessary working knowledge of the work he is carrying on. As the first radio district of the department of commerce comprises the six New England states, it is not reasonable to assume that the government authorities wish amateurs at remote points to visit Boston for examination, and for this reason the inspectors go throughout the field, establishing connections with the amateurs and giving them the requisite test.

The department issues a second grade amateur license, which is considered a temporary permit, pending personal examination of the licensee by a radio inspector. If, upon examination, a person holding a license or permit of this sort fails to pass the regular first grade amateur test, his temporary permit is withdrawn.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 22.—Today's broad dealings in the stock market almost entirely at higher levels, centered in equipments, independent steels, motors, oils and utilities. High grade rails were in little demand but junior transportations were active and strong. Pullman, American and Baldwin Locomotives, Pressed Steel Car, Midvale, Republic, Replogle and Lackawanna Steels rose 1 to 2 points. Pierce Arrow preferred, Mack Truck common and first preferred and many of the domestic oils were 1 to 3 points higher. Local tractions and gas issues made similar gains and coppers strengthened with such specialties as Coca Cola and Postum Cereal. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 775,00 shares.

Money Market

NEW YORK, April 22.—Foreign exchange firm. Great Britain, demand 4.41⅞; cables 4.42¼; 60-day bills on banks 4.39⅝. France demand 9.33; cables 9.33½. Italy demand 5.44½; cables 5.45. Belgium, demand 8.59½; cables 8.60. Germany demand .37¼; cables .37⅜. Holland demand 37.92; cables 37.96. Norway demand 18.00; Sweden demand 25.97. Denmark demand 21.25. Switzerland demand 19.14; Spain, demand 15.53; Greece demand 4.52; Poland demand .02⅝; Czecho-Slovakia demand 1.98; Argentine demand 35.75; Brazil demand 35.80; Montreal 98¼.

Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 99.40; first 4s ——; second 4s 99.40; first 4¼s 99.86; second 4¼s 99.58; third 4¼s 99.70; fourth 4¼s 99.88; victory 4¾s 100.70; victory 3¾s 100.02.

Clearing House Banks

NEW YORK, April 22.—The actual condition of the clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $8,870,270 in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $6,923,860 from last week.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	51⅞	50⅞	51¾
Am Can	49⅞	49¾	49¾
do pfd	105¾	105¾	105¾
Am Car & F	162⅞	162¾	162¾
Am H & L	16⅞	16	16⅞
do pfd	70	70	70
Am Loco	118½	116¾	117
Am Smelt	58⅞	58½	58⅞
do pfd	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
Am Sug	76⅜	75⅝	76
Am Wool	93¾	93¼	98⅛
Anaconda	54¼	53⅞	54
At Gulf	34	33	33⅝
Baldwin	119	118¼	118½
Beth Steel B	79¾	79	79⅝
do pfd 8%	113	113	113
B R T	23⅝	23	23⅛
Cal Pete	56	56	56
Can Pac	143⅞	143¾	143⅞
Cent Lea	38⅞	38¾	38⅞
Ches & O	65¼	65	65
C & Gt W	8½	8¼	8⅜
C R I & P	47¾	47¼	47¾
Chile	19½	19	19⅝
Col G & E	86	84¼	85½
Col Fuel	32	31⅞	32
Con Gas	117¾	117	117
Corn Prod	103¾	103	102½
Cru Steel	65	64½	65
Cuba Cane	16¼	15¾	16⅛
Dis Sec	5¼	4⅞	5¼
Elk Horn	20	19	20
Erie	13¾	13¼	13⅝
do pf	23½	22⅞	23
do 2d	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Gen Motors	13	12⅞	13
Gt No pf	75⅞	75¾	75¾
Gt N Ore ctf	42	41⅞	42
Ill Cen	108	108	108
Int Met Com	3¾	3½	3¾
do 1st	9⅜	9¼	9¼
Int Mer Mar pf	83⅝	83⅛	83½
Int Paper	45⅞	47¾	47¾
Kennecott	32½	32	32½
K City S	27¾	27¼	27¾
do pf	58½	58⅝	53⅜
Lack Steel	67½	55¾	57
Lehigh Val	62¾	62¾	62⅜
Mex Pet	134⅝	132¼	133⅞
Midvale	37½	35⅛	37¾
Mo Pac	24½	21	24
N Y Cent	92¼	92	92¼
N Y & N H	25¼	21¼	25¼
Nor & West	107¼	107¼	107⅜
No Pac	77½	77½	77½
Pere Marquette	30¾	30¼	30¾
do pfd	67¾	67⅝	67¾
O G	34	33	33⅝
Ont & West	28	29	28
Pan Am	65	64⅝	64¾
Penn	42	41¾	41¾
Pen Gas	87½	87½	87½
Pitts Coal	61¾	61⅜	61¾
P W V	35	34½	34⅞
Pres Steel	82¾	82¾	82⅛
Pullman	129	127¾	128¾
Ry St Sp Co	103½	103½	103½
Reading	77⅞	77¾	77¾
Rep I & S	55½	56¼	58¼
do pf	83½	81¾	83½
Royal D	64	63⅜	63¾
St Paul	28¾	28¾	28½
Sinclair Oil	32¼	32⅝	32
Stors	44¾	44¼	44¼
So Pac	91⅝	91⅛	91⅛
So Ry	25¼	25	25¼
do pf	58	57½	58
Stude	124½	123¼	123½
Tex Pac	35¾	34¾	35
Third Av	24¼	23	23¼
U Pac	139½	138¾	138¾
do pf	76½	76½	76¼
U S I Al	48¾	47¾	48¾
U S Rub	66½	65⅝	66½
U S Steel	99⅞	99¼	99⅜
do pf	118½	118¼	118½
Utah Cop	67½	67½	67¼
Wab	10⅞	10	10⅞
do A	33	32½	32⅞
Willys	8½	8¾	8½
Westhouse	63¼	63	63

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Ahmeek	62½	62½	62½
Am Pneu	3½	3½	3½
Am T & T	124	123¾	123⅞
Arcadian	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
Bos El	80	80	80
Bos & Alb	46	46	16
Bos & Me	25¾	25	25¾
Butte & Sup	31⅞	30¾	31
Cal & Ariz	59½	59½	59½
Cal & Hec	275	275	275
Cop Range	44	44	44
Davis Daly	8¾	7⅞	8⅜
E Butte	11¾	11¾	11¾
Easton SS	64	63½	63½
East MFG	11	11	11
Franklin	2¾	2½	2¾
Gray & Davis	17½	17½	17½
Island Oil	⅞	⅞	⅞
Isl Sr Coal	113	112	112½
Lake	4¾	4¾	4¾
Lin McN	2¼	2¾	2¾
Mason Valley	2	2¼	2¼
Mass	3⅞	3¾	3⅞
Mayflower	5¼	5	5
Mich	3½	3	3
Nevada	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝
New Cornelia	18¼	18⅛	18¼
N E Tel	116	115	115
Nipissing	6¼	6	6¼
No Butte	13½	13	13
Ojibway	3½	3	3⅛
Osceola	36½	36½	36½
Pond Creek	20	18⅝	20
Ray Con	16⅝	16⅜	16½
Reece Buttonhole	14½	14½	14½
Shat Ariz	9¼	9½	9¼
Sup & Bos	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Swift & Co	102½	102	102
Swift Intl	20	20	20
Trinity	2¼	2¼	2¼
U Apex	3	3¼	3¼
U Sh M	41½	41½	41½
U S Smel	41½	41	41¼
Ventura	27	26½	26½
Winona	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Wickwire Spencer	16½	16	16½

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Daddy	4	4	4
Boni Mont	20	19	19
Bagdad	25	22	24
Crystal	1⅝	1 11-16	1 11-16
Eureka	30	28	28
First Nat'l	86	84	86
Homa	3½	3	3
Hecla	2	2	2
Mutual	38	36	38
Hunter	3	3	3
Pilgrim	3½	3½	3½
Seven Metals	4	4	4
United Verde Ext.	29¾	29½	29½
Verde	22	21	21

DISCUSS PLANS OF FINANCING BONUS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Various plans of financing the soldiers' bonus of senate finance today at a conference of Senate finance committee republicans. Chairman McCumber said no definite decision was reached. Before there is a conclusion, he said, representatives of the American Legion will be called in.

"I do not think that under any circumstances the bill will provide for additional taxes," declared the chairman. "My belief is that we can get enough out of the foreign debt to take care of the bonus, but I don't want to depend entirely upon that."

PRES. HARDING INDORSES FLANDERS POPPY DAY

NEW YORK, April 22.—Endorsement of Flanders Poppy day by President Harding was announced today by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, who are heading a move for the wearing of the inter-allied memorial flower on Memoial day.

"I find myself heartily in sympathy with the purpose of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American War Mothers in their request that the people at large shall wear on Memorial day a poppy, the inter-allied memorial flower," the president wrote. "It is a most appropriate mode of testifying our remembrance and recognition of the great obligation of the nation to those who gave everything in the service during the world war.

"I trust that the suggestion you have presented will be generally adopted throughout the nation."

Self Confessed Burglar Held

Continued

arrest. At the police station both officers are booked as the arresting ones.

A charge of breaking and entering in the night time was placed against him following his arrest Friday. When he appeared in court yesterday his case was continued at the request of the police who wished to make investigations.

According to the police, Sternberg admitted all the breaks put up to him. When questioned as to why he had not tackled something on a larger scale he said that he was not a yeggman and simply took up burglary because he was broke, had nothing else to do and had to eke out an existence in some manner.

Sternberg claims to have been in both Worcester and Pittsfield previous to his visit to Lowell. Nothing definite regarding his past history has yet been uncovered by the criminal investigating department of the local police. Both the Worcester and Pittsfield police have been requested, by letter, to furnish knowledge, if they have any, of Sternberg's alleged visits in those cities.

A young woman, professing to be a friend of Sternberg and his family, called at the police station this afternoon. She said that Sternberg's mother resides in Meriden, Conn., and the prisoner himself was born in Plainsville, Conn.

AND IT LOOKS LIKE A LONG VISIT, TOO

Calls on Harding to Give List

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The resolution of Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, calling on President Harding for a list of all persons appointed to positions by executive order and the reasons for such appointments was reported favorably by the senate civil service committee today. The clause reciting that such appointments had "set aside" the civil service laws was eliminated.

Russia Withdraws Memorandum

PARIS, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Russia has withdrawn the memorandum she submitted yesterday in answer to the report of the allied experts on Russian affairs, says a Havas despatch from Genoa this evening. Strong objections had been made to the memorandum in allied quarters.

The memorandum was withdrawn at a meeting of the experts appointed by Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Czecho-Slovakia and Holland to meet with the soviet experts on Russian reconstruction plans. The French experts withdrew from the committee at the opening of the meeting, the despatch states, on account of a conflict they alleged between the soviet memorandum and the conditions laid down in the Cannes resolutions. The committee thereupon adjourned. At this the Russian delegates declared there had been a misunderstanding regarding their intentions and said they would abandon the memorandum.

Explosion and Fire Wreck Mansion Hall

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON, Ireland, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The magnificent mansion hall, known as Lodge No. 854, was completely destroyed by fire early today. The townspeople were awakened by a series of explosions, and when they rushed out of their homes they found the hall in flames and a number of empty petrol cans nearby.

EVERETT TRUE

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

NEW YORK, April 22.—The rate percentage granted New England railroads by the Interstate Commerce commission was assailed today by trunk lines east of the Mississippi, when they argued for a preliminary injunction before Federal Judges Mayer, Manton and Hough.

NEW YORK, April 22.—A petition in bankruptcy against the United States Food Products Corporation was filed in federal court today. Liabilities of $36,996,830 including the liabilities of subsidiary companies, and assets of $57,842,396 were listed.

WALLINGFORD, Conn., April 22.—The Choate school four-oared crew defeated the English high school of Lynn, Mass., by three lengths today, over the Choate five-eighths of a mile course on Community lake.

WASHINGTON, April 22. (By Associated Press.)—Proposals for use of power developed by the government built projects at Muscle Shoals, Ala., for the manufacture of aluminum and fertilizers with the government retaining ownership of the projects although not spending any more money on them were presented today to war department officials by R. R. Grant of Wilmington, Del., president of the American Non-Ferrus corporation and of the Aluminum Wheel Co. of America.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 22.—Mrs. Ernest B. Sellew of Pawtucket denied today that she is the guardian of the Safford girl. She said she was one of a group of women contributing to the girl's expenses at Northfield seminary. She said she did not know where the Safford girl's home was other than that it was in the middle west.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Secretary Denby of the navy department, and acting Secretary Finney of the interior department, responding in a joint letter today to the Kendrick resolution, recently passed by the senate, declared that in making contracts for the opening of Teapot Dome naval oil reserves in Wyoming to private interests, they were acting under the authority of congress.

COAL STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 22.—Strikers in the Bridgeport coal field went back to work today on an agreed cut in day wages of $1.50, and a reduction of 25 cents a ton for piecework.

REFUSE PERMIT FOR TAG DAY

SALEM, April 22.—The overseers of the poor today refused permission for a tag day to be conducted by Lawrence textile unions for the benefit of striking operatives of that city. City Solicitor Michael L. Sullivan, ruled that the tags could not be sold for charitable purposes under the local statutes.

Locks & Canals Accept Offer

Continued

such a short distance from the heart of the city.

Last year, Mayor Perry D. Thompson secured a verbal option from the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals, whereby the city would have first claim on the land, but the option was not taken up because of lack of funds.

Already a loan order for $20,000 has been introduced in the city council and ordered advertised and it will be ready for adoption at next Tuesday night's meeting. The order was presented a week ago Thursday night by Councillor Smith J. Adams, in anticipation of acceptance of the city's offer by the Locks and Canals.

As correctly as it can be figured out, the outright purchase of the land for $20,000 means a saving of approximately $15,000 to the city when comparison is made with the money that necessarily would have had to be expended if acquirement were made by seizure. This would have meant payment of the assessed valuation, which is in the neighborhood of $32,000, plus 25 per cent.

Mayor Brown already has authorized Supt. Kernan of the park department to go ahead with the development of the land as far as possible, with the idea of getting at least one baseball surface in shape for use this summer.

Now that the purchase of the land is assured, it is believed that agitation for the erection of a high school stadium will be revived and it would not be strange if active committees were appointed from the alumni to take the preliminary steps along this line.

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SMALL POCKETBOOK lost between Challoux's and Wethern's Saturday afternoon containing silver rosary and sum of money, return to 14 Newhall st. Reward.

GOLD BAR PIN set with pearls and blue sapphire and silver thimble lost on Lawrence st near Rogers, Tuesday morning. Tel. 5446-M, 14 Campus ave.

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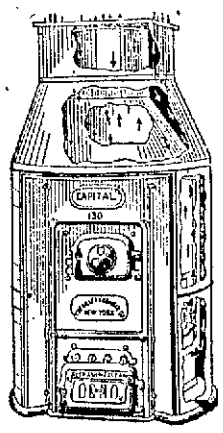

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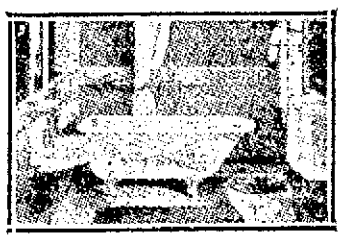

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DRUGGISTS LICENSES AFFECTED BY BILL

Applications of 15 local druggists for third class licenses have been held up by the license board pending the settlement of a bill now awaiting the governor's signature, which materially affects conditions under which such licenses have been issued in the past.

Under the law as it exists today, druggists applying for licenses of the third class are required to advertise their application ten days before the license may be granted. Also, they are required to file a bond and keep books to show each sale of liquor made. Under the new bill the requirements are more lenient.

O'CONNELL BOARD TO MEET

A meeting of the O'Connell District Board A.A.R.I.R., has been called by President Barrett for A.O.H. hall tomorrow evening to settle up the St. Patrick's day convention funds and elect delegates to the state convention. It is probable that the question of sending funds to President De Valera will also be brought up.

WELCOME HOME PARTY

A very pleasant gathering was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Rourke, 431 Lakeview avenue to welcome home Miss Lillian Donelly who has just returned from Chicago where she has spent the last four months. In the course of the evening she was the recipient of a silk umbrella, the presentation being made by Mary E. Heath. The entertainment of the evening was carried on by Catherine Callery and Mae Ashe who rendered solos, Margaret Tarpey, who afforded violin selections and a solo dance by Helen Cox, Anna Callery was the accompanist of the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Office of the Purchasing Agent

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until 11 a. m., Wednesday, April 26, 1922, on the following:

Req. 1700. Fire Department.

Specifications for changing over from solid rubber tires to pneumatics.

Hose 13—To have two rear wheels changed over from solid now on wheels to 2—38x7" pneumatic tires and tubes, including all steel equipment less extra rim.

Hose 12—Same change to be made as above: To have 2—36x6" pneumatic tires and tubes front, 2—38x7" pneumatic tires and tubes rear. Including all steel equipment less extra rim.

Engine 1—Same change to be made as above: To have 2—36x6" pneumatic tires and tubes front, 2—38x7" pneumatic tires and tubes rear. Including all steel equipment less extra rim.

Engine 5—Same change to be made as above: To be 2—38x7" pneumatic tires and tubes rear. Including all steel equipment less extra rim.

All pneumatic tires to be of the flat tread type, mounted and applied to truck.

All wheels to have a coat of lead, where necessary. Submit prices on all new wheels and cutting down and refitting wheels.

Hose 13 must have new wheels. To be Firestone rims.

The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD H. FOYE,
Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., April 21, 1922.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
5.20	6.49	2.50	5.15
6.23	7.28	6.00	7.03
6.44	7.8-	7.35	8.29
b6.39	7.30	b8.15	9.30
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.39
7.05	7.56	9.35	10.09
7.56	8.37	12.30	1.11
9.01	9.42	h1.05	2.08
10.06	11.05	2.15	3.15
11.17	12.00	2.50	3.41
12.07	1.01	4.05	4.42
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.24
2.45	3.45	5.00	5.42
b3.33	4.12	b5.21	6.42
4.05	4.50	5.38	6.35
4.12	5.25	5.50	7.11
5.39	6.40	6.14	7.32
b6.05	7.23	8.00	8.41
7.36	8.40	8.50	9.11
8.40	9.30	10.30	11.40
10.05	10.51	11.55	12.40

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.33	7.36	z6.35	8.21
10.54	12.10	10.35	11.50
5.14pm	6.35	3.25	4.40
7.12	8.25	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.35	6.55	8.15
		9.39	11.15

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.20	4.42
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.48
5.20	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

9.44	7.30	8.45	9.35
7.05	7.58	10.00	10.50
8.30	9.40	11.00	11.50
9.13	10.10	1.00	1.04
10.20	11.17	5.30	5.44
2.52	3.56	7.14	8.25
3.08	6.00	8.00	9.11
7.38	8.00	8.30	9.11
8.20	9.10	9.25	10.25
8.40	9.30	10.05	10.55
9.50	10.48		

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THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

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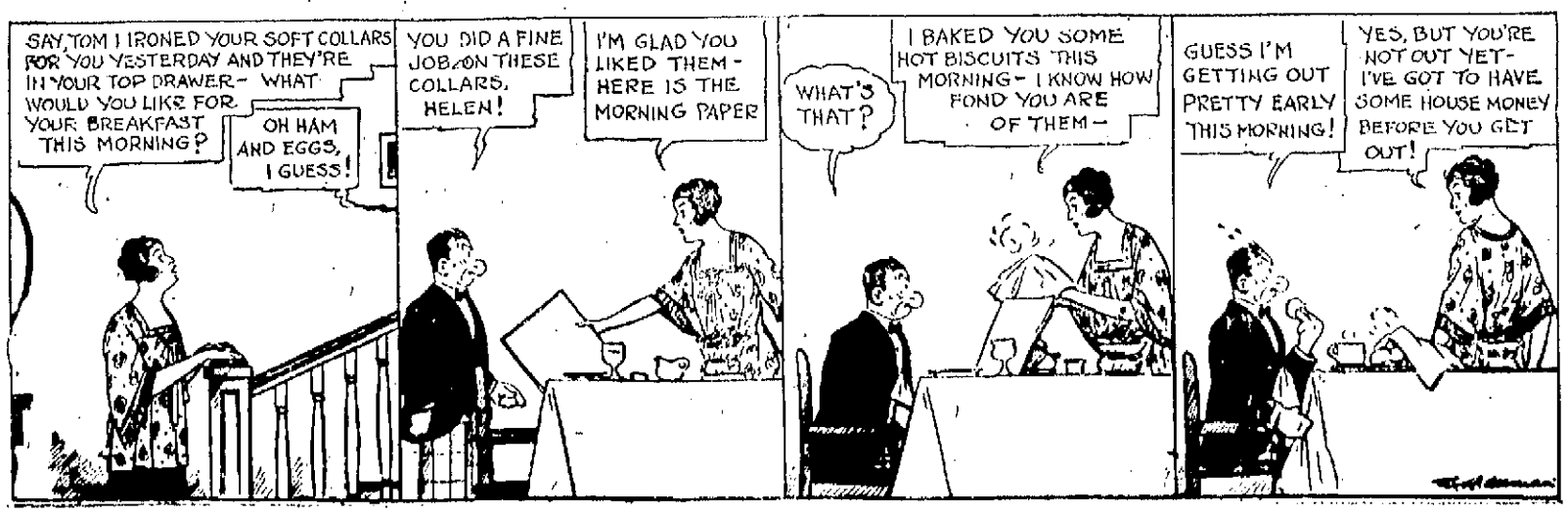

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE LOWELL SUN

SATURDAY EVENING APRIL 22, 1922

DIVER WINS IN BATTLE FOR LIFE

Attacked by Giant Devil Fish 50 Feet Beneath the Surface

Drawn to Surface With Man and Monster Still Struggling Desperately

TACOMA, Wash., April 22.—Battling for his life, 50 feet beneath the surface of Puget Sound, Walter McCray, a diver, known in marine circles from Alaska to California, came out victorious here yesterday over a giant devil fish.

The monster wound its tentacles so tightly about McCray that the diver was unable to reach the knife he carries for protection. When one tentacle threatened to cut off the air supply, McCray, through the submarine telephone, called for a short steel wrecking bar. With this weapon he was able to pierce the body of the devil fish and at last, with man and monster still struggling desperately, McCray was drawn to the surface by his assistant and other men called to help.

While Richard Burnett, a dock watchman, stood by with drawn pistols, unable to shoot because the diver and devil fish were so completely tangled, others attacked with what weapons there were at hand and finally the devil fish released its hold and disappeared beneath the water.

The devil fish was one of the largest ever seen in these waters and was the first, McCray said, that ever attacked him.

McCray, who suffered chiefly from exhaustion, was to resume diving today.

LOWELL MEN WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE

The monthly meeting of the New England conference board of the United Textile Workers of America which is composed of textile delegates from Lowell, Lawrence, Manchester, N. H., and Maynard, will be held tomorrow afternoon in Maynard and the topic of discussion at the meeting will be the textile strikers now in vogue in various parts of New England.

The Lowell men who will attend the meeting are John Hanley, Louis Shea and Alfred Angas, president, vice president and secretary, respectively of the Lowell Textile council; Mrs. Annie Reagan of the Cotton Weavers', Walter Roche of the Beamers', Dana R. Hart of the Slasher Tenders', Joseph E. Jemery of the Loomfixers', Walter McLaughlin of the Folders', Austin Kennedy of the Woolen Spinners', Alfred Labelle of the Ring Spinner Fixers', M. Holden of the Woolen Weavers' and Frank Balaska of the Polish Textile Workers.

THE LEAGUE OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Departing radically from the usual program of speaking and musical entertainment, the League of Catholic Women at its meeting in Associate hall tomorrow afternoon will feature a musical program almost exclusively, the only additional feature being a little one-act sketch.

Boston artists of widely acknowledged talent are to be presented in a musicale. The soloists are to be Miss Mary Casey, soprano; Mrs. James A. Murphy, the only Lowell participant, soprano; Mrs. John McElivery, contralto, and Mr. Edward Downey, tenor. Mr. Walter Mayo, concert master at Boston college, a violinist of note, will be a participant in the program.

As an additional feature a one-act sketch, "The Old Woman and the New Woman," or "1776 and 1922," will be given by Misses Downey and Kirby. The sketch will be in the nature of a satire on fashions, present and past.

LOWELL WOMEN AT BOSTON WHIST PARTY

The Lowell League of Catholic Women was represented by about 35 officers and members at a large whist party in the ball room of the Copley-Plaza hotel yesterday. The party is an annual event on the calendar of the Boston league, and is attended by many members of other leagues throughout the state.

Yesterday's affair was one of the largest ever conducted. About 1700 ladies were present and over 150 took part in the whist. A great many who desired admission were unable to procure tickets, as the spacious room was filled to capacity.

Officers of the local league who attended are President Mrs. J. T. Donohue, Miss Alice Lee and Mrs. Alice Saunders.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. James Lowe and Miss Lillian McCann were married April 19 at St. Margaret's rectory, the ceremony being performed by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Gallagan. The bride wore white satin with over-lace and veil and carried bridal roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss M. Donnelly, who was attired with blue crepe de chine with picture hat to match and carried pink roses. The best man was Mr. David Mahoney, a brother-in-law of the bride. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. David Mahoney. After an extended honeymoon trip the couple will make their home in Toronto, Ont.

FROM THE CONVENT OF THE SACRED HEART

Sister Superior Endorses Merit of Father John's Medicine for Children

Writing from the Sacred Heart Convent at Newport, Vt., the Sister Superior in charge says: "We have here a large boarding school and at once as we see a child without appetite or not feeling well we have him take Father John's Medicine. I think it is the best remedy for children." (Signed) Sister Mary Alexandrine, Superior Sacred Heart Convent.

Over 160 other institutions use and endorse Father John's Medicine, having proved its value for colds and body building over a long period of years. Safe to use because it contains no drugs.—Adv.

PLANTATIONS FLOODED

Levee on West Bank of Mississippi, South of New Orleans, Broke Today

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.—A levee on the west bank of the Mississippi river at Myrtle Grove, about 30 miles south of New Orleans, broke today and neighboring plantations were flooded. About 60 feet of the embankment went out and government barges with men and materials were sent from here to the scene of the break.

The section being inundated contains many important sugar plantations and orange groves.

The river at New Orleans early today showed a rise of three-tenths of a foot, bringing the stage to 22.4 feet, four-tenths of a foot higher than the record established in 1912.

LITTLE CHANGE IN COAL MINERS' STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 22.—With the coal strike closing its third week of idleness for more than 600,000 miners, a survey of some of the fields shows an accumulation of loaded cars on siding with the market dull.

Trade reports here show practically no demand for industrial or domestic coal except for use in steel plants from the West Virginia and Kentucky fields.

In a report yesterday by Secretary of Labor Davis to Atty. Gen. Daugherty, only slight increases in coal prices were noted.

Trade estimates indicated that there is on hand about 50,000,000 tons of the 63,000,000 on hand when the strike started, with reports indicating that about 10,000,000 tons have been produced in the last three weeks in non-union fields. In the anthracite district, not a ton has been mined.

Weekly coal consumption is estimated at 7,000,000 tons.

DEATHS

JEWETT—Mrs. Mary Jewett, wife of Fred Jewett, formerly of this city but now of Holyoke, Mass., passed away early this morning at the home of her son, Walter Jewett, Billerica road, Chelmsford Centre, at the age of 63 years. She is survived by her husband, of Holyoke; two sons, Walter of Chelmsford Centre and Harold Jewett of this city; two sisters, living in England; also by four grandchildren. Mrs. Jewett was a member of the Holyoke Baptist church. Funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

WILDE—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilde took place from her home, 1450 Gorham street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Henry Quimby, rector of St. John's Episcopal church. The bearers were Harold Wilde, Raymond Wilde, Frederick Dawson, William Buckley, John Brown and George Mitchell. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of George A. Miller, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BURKE—The funeral of Miss Annie C. Burke took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 435 Central street. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Francis Shea. The choir under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Miss Mary Hynne and Mr. Donnelly, Miss Gertrude Quigley presiding at the organ. The bearers were Dr. T. B. Smith, Dr. W. H. Burke of Cambridge, Clarence Smith of Hartford, Joseph Dunphy of Everett, John O'Brien of Lowell and John Curry of Stoughton. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Shea. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

DRONEY—The funeral of Michael Droney took place this morning from his late home, 135 Lincoln street, at eight o'clock, and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where, at 9 o'clock, a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelty, sang the Gregorian chant. Mr. Kelty presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify the high esteem in which deceased was held, as well as many spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Michael Cullinene, Richard Cogglin, John Murphy, Thomas Casey, John Melnerney and Michael Hynes. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FARRINGTON—In this city, April 21, Mrs. Mary Farrington, widow of Andrew Farrington. Funeral Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 162 Perry street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COULOMBE—The funeral of Mrs. Bobbie (Laroque) Coulombe, wife of Charles Coulombe, will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 52 Farmland road. A solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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	Joseph Mahoney
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John McQuade	Fred J. McSorley
Joseph Mercier	Charles Cole
Joseph Sharkey	John O'Connell
John Elliot	Frank O'Brien
Thos. Bagley	Arthur King
Dalton Auto Livery	Joseph Furlong
Walter Finnegan	Richard Griffith

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

CARMEN AND TRUSTEES SIGN WAGE CONTRACT

BOSTON, April 22.—By mutual consent of the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company and the Bay State Carmen's union, composed of the road's employes, the wage and working agreement in force, founded upon an award of the state board of arbitration and conciliation in 1921 and which would have expired May 1, is extended for another year.

There are about 2000 motormen, conductors and other employes affected by this decision, which was reached at a conference between company officials and a sub-committee of the union's joint conference board yesterday afternoon. The basic wages of the railway's car operators are 49 cents an hour for the first three months' service; 52 cents for the next nine months and 54½ cents thereafter; with five cents an hour additional or a maximum of 59½ cents an hour for one-man car operation. As more than 95 per cent of the cars are one-man type, nearly all operators receive the maximum of 59½ cents an hour.

Several weeks ago officers of the union came to the trustees and asked if they would extend the present agreement. Chairman Homer Loring told them that if they went back to the local unions and got them to ask for it he would put it up to the trustees.

A referendum vote was taken by the membership of the Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Salem, Lynn, Chelsea, Quincy, Brockton, Taunton, Fall River and Norwood-Hyde Park local unions of the Bay State system which resulted in the authorizing of their joint conference board to request the public trustees to continue the agreement.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.

Buy De Lorme's hats, $3 up.

Wire frames for lamps and telephones. Electric shop, 82 Central st.

J. F. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Open and closed commercial bodies for Ford chasis, two carloads just received at C. H. Hanson & Co.'s Rock st.

There were two telephone alarms for brush fires today, one at 10.50 in Wentworth avenue and the other at 12.33 in Featherstone avenue.

The scholarship in Boston university, voted annually by the faculty of the Lowell Normal school to a member of the graduating class, has been awarded to Miss Marjorie Pratt of this city.

Rev. James Bancroft, former rector of St. John's Episcopal church of this city, soon is to assume charge of the parish at Wood's Hole. Rev. Mr. Bancroft resigned his local pastorate about two years ago because of poor health and since that time has been living in Concord, Mass.

DANCE TONIGHT
A. O. H. HALL
Higgins' Jazz Orchestra
ADM. 35¢, TAX PAID

Regular Meeting of O'Connell Council, A. A. R. I. R. SUNDAY, APR. 23, 7.30 P. M. To make arrangements for convention, Hibernian Hall, 149 Middle St. Per order of Pres. and Sec.

GILROY RELEASED AS "HONEST ROBBER"

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—John M. Gilroy was released today as an "honest robber."

Gilroy told the jury he had been out of work, his wife ill and his children hungry. He needed $6, so he took his revolver and held up the soft drink establishment of William Moorman, taking the $6 from the till. He found work next day and out of his first pay he paid Moorman the $6, then surrendered to the police.

The jury took a standing vote of acquittal.

KING OF ITALY VISITS GENOA

First Visit Since War an Occasion for Great Demonstration of Loyalty

Russian Soviet Minister Shocks Socialists and Communists by Meeting King

GENOA, April 22. (By the Associated Press.)—George Chitcherin, the Russian soviet foreign minister, gave the Italian socialists and communists a shock today, by meeting King Victor Emmanuel on the king's visit here, and accepting His Majesty's invitation to a luncheon on board the Italian dreadnought Conte di Cavour.

It was the first visit the king had made to Genoa since the war and his arrival was the occasion for a great demonstration of loyalty. The route from the dreadnought to the prefecture and the town hall was so crowded with cheering throngs that traffic was practically at a standstill.

One of the first acts of the king after his arrival was to congratulate Foreign Minister Schanzer on the work he had done to prevent what at one time appeared an impending break-up of the conference.

"It would have been a calamity," said the king, "if the conference had failed while in its initial stage, as the peoples of the world look to Genoa as the starting point of a new era of brotherhood and prosperity."

The weather which, during the past week, had been inclement, giving rise to joking questions by many delegates whether this was sunny Italy, cleared up for the arrival of His Majesty.

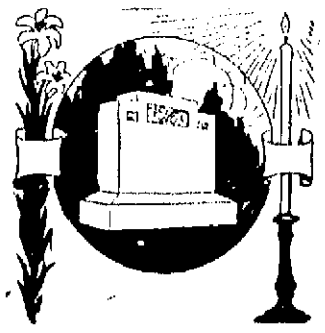
DECREASE SHOWN IN DEATH RATE

The city death rate fluctuated again this week, showing a decrease of 10 deaths from last week's high mark. Thirty deaths were reported to the board of health this week, against 40 last week and 19 in the week previous. Infant mortality this week also showed a decrease, there being eight deaths under one year, against 11 last week. Deaths under five years this were numbered eight, against 16 last week.

Infectious diseases reported were scarlet fever two, measles two and tuberculosis three.

30,000 AT TOKIO BALL GAME

TOKIO, April 22. (By Associated Press) A crowd of 30,000 persons witnessed the first game played by the Indiana university baseball team which came to Japan on the invitation of the Waseda university team of Tokio for a series of 12 games. The visitors lost the opening contest 1 to 0.



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of the dear one who has passed to his or her reward. If you have placed no monument of beautiful, imperishable stone over the final resting-ground, let us plan one for you. It will be your noblest tribute.

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SPY BADLY BEATEN UP BY STRIKERS

PAWTUCKET, R. I., April 22.—Another spy was detected at a textile strikers' meeting today and he was badly battered and bruised before Organizer Thomas went to his assistance and escorted him from the building. Even then he did not escape as a crowd of strikers pursued and beat him before he finally got refuge. The strikers claimed that he was a worker at the Jenckes Spinning Co.'s plant and when they discovered him they locked the main doors and punched and kicked him. He got out by a side door and locked himself in another room. The strikers were bent on battering it in when Organizer Thomas came to the man's assistance.

ALLEN GUEST OF DOWN TOWN MEN'S CLUB

In connection with the appearance of Attorney General J. Weston Allen in Lowell next Tuesday evening as the guest of the Lowell Rotary club, the Down Town Men's club also will entertain him at an open house to be held at the First Congregational church at 8.15 o'clock and to which Lowell men are invited. The attorney general addresses the Rotarians after a dinner to be served at 6.15 o'clock at the Vesper Country club.

INCREASE IN COTTON EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Cotton exports increased during March as compared with the same month last year, aggregating 461,000 bales valued at $43,000,000, compared with 375,000 bales worth $27,000,0 a year ago, the department of commerce announced today.

TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS REMOVED

Local motorists may be interested to learn that the state of New Hampshire's highway commission has removed traffic restrictions on the following roads in that state: From Rockingham road, Derry, to Manchester; the Hudson to Derry road; and the state roads in Bow, Auburn, Pelham, Sandown, Danville, Plaistow, Salem, Hudson, Windham, Londonderry, Litchfield, Hooksett, Allenstown, Pembroke, Mason, Brookline, Hollis and New Ipswich.

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League of Catholic Women

SUNDAY AFTERNOON
At 3 O'Clock
ASSOCIATE HALL
Musicale by Boston Artists

GAS POISONING FATAL

Salem Man Visiting His Sisters Here is Found Dead in Bed.

Andre Cyr, aged 31 years, a resident of Salem, who was visiting his sisters at 749 Lakeview avenue, in this city, was found dead at the home of the latter late yesterday afternoon, death being due to gas poisoning. The young man had not been feeling well for some time and about three weeks ago he came to this city to rest. Yesterday morning the sisters went to their work as usual, leaving their brother in the house and when they returned shortly before 6 o'clock, they detected a strong odor of gas and after following it to one of the bed rooms, made the discovery.

The body was viewed by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith and later removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons. Deceased, who was employed by the Boston & Maine for many years, is survived by five sisters, Mrs. Delima Gagnon and the Misses Marie L., Anna, Georgianna and Lizzie Cyr, all of this city.

R. R. DEFIED LABOR BOARD

Federal Judge Page Upholds Pennsylvania Railroad in Its Suit

CHICAGO, April 22.—Federal Judge George T. Page today upheld the Pennsylvania railroad in its suit to test the power of the United States railroad labor board by refusing to dismiss the temporary injunction recently granted by Judge Landis restraining the board from censuring the road for violation of the board's decrees.

Judge Page, while refusing to dismiss the temporary injunction ordered a conference of attorneys for both sides and the case probably will come up again later. The board ordered the road to hold new elections among its shop craft employes some time ago, and the road refused to do so. The board then prepared to issue a decree censuring the carrier and the Pennsylvania obtained the injunction to test the board's powers.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLANS BUSY WEEK

Beginning with a meeting of the board of directors Monday noon, the quarters of the Lowell chamber of commerce will be the scene of a busy noonday program next week. The meetings announced to date are for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

At the board meeting Monday noon, the program was not divulged, but it is expected that a number of interesting facts will be acted upon.

At 12.15 p. m. Tuesday a joint committee, composed of the fire protection committee of the chamber and a committee from the Contractors' association, will meet in the chamber of commerce rooms and take action relative to the revision of the building ordinances. Luncheon will be served.

The Lowell Ad. club will have its weekly meeting at 2.15 Wednesday, with Edward J. Cooney, formerly of the Town Criers, the advertising club of Providence, R. I., and now sales manager of the Lowell Gas Light company, as principal speaker. Mr. Cooney has had extensive experience in the advertising business and his talk before the local club should carry some very good ideas and inspiration to the members. The usual luncheon will be served prior to the meeting.

LITTLE DAMAGE CAUSED BY FROST

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Frost occurred last night from the Atlantic coast westward to Indiana and Ohio and as far south as northern Virginia, but officials expressed the belief that generally little damage was done to fruit.

Temperature around the freezing point were reported from the whole northeastern quarter of the country, ranging as low as 24 degrees at Northfield, Vt., and Binghamton, N. Y.

Another frost, probably not as heavy as that of last night, was forecast for tonight for the northern Atlantic section.

RECONSTRUCTION OF RUSSIA

Actual Work on Plan Started at Genoa Today by Experts of Eight Nations

Heated Politics Surrounding Russian Problems Cooled by Chitcherin's Note

GENOA, April 22.—(By the Associated Press)—Actual work on a plan for the reconstruction of Russia was started today by experts representing the soviet government, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Czecho-Slovakia and Holland.

The heated politics surrounding the Russian problems has been cooled by M. Chitcherin's note accepting in the main, the allied formula stating the terms on which the great powers are willing to resume business relations with Russia. The question is thus suddenly changed from political to economic, as far as the Genoa conference is concerned and there seem to be bright prospects for a successful outcome.

Sir Edward Grigg, private secretary to the British prime minister, and others prominent in the conference, have made it clear that no proposition has been put forward for government loans to Russia, nor government guarantees of loans.

The single important point of difference between the Russians and the allied representatives is the unwillingness of the former to restore the free hold title of foreigners' property which has been nationalized or requisitioned in Russia, although they are willing to restore it to the former owners for their use.

In the case of factories, this would doubtless be on a concession basis. Factories, which have hitherto stood idle because the former owners refused to work them unless assured that their title would be restored, may be reopened if the soviet concessions are given a real basis by the Genoa negotiations.

The International Harvester Co. and many other prominent corporations having factories or mines in Russia have declined to consider taking concessions to operate the properties they stoutly contend are theirs, and not owned by the soviet government.

An English spokesman said a meeting of the entire British delegation this morning decided to consider the incident that had arisen out of the Russo-Germany treaty as definitely closed.

He was not sure how far the French really intended to go with their protests against the German reply.

LAWRENCE STRIKERS NAME REPRESENTATIVES

LAWRENCE, April 22.—Five meetings of strikers of as many different mills were scheduled for this morning to choose representatives to meet their employers but only one meeting materialized. That was of strikers in the Acadia mills who elected seven representatives.

The other four meetings were called off because of the small number appearing or because of the lack of leadership.

Other meetings are scheduled for this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow.

SIX GIRLS RESCUED AT BROOKLINE FIRE

BROOKLINE, April 22.—Attorney Philip S. Sears, assisted six servant girls to safety early today when fire was discovered in his home. Cries for help from the servants' quarters aroused Mr. Sears, who, with a brother of one of the girls, found their apartments filled with smoke. Persons outside the house put ladders up to the windows, and Mr. Sears assisted the girls to descend. The damage to the residence was estimated at $2000.

NEW HOSPITAL DEDICATED

UTICA, N. Y., April 22.—The Soldiers and Sailors Memorial hospital erected by Masons of the grand lodge of the state of New York, was dedicated today.

BRAVES TO PLAY MONTREAL

MONTREAL, April 22.—Joe Page, president of the New Eastern Canada Baseball league, announced today that the season will be opened here April 30, with a game between the Boston National league team and the Montreal club

1 Policeman Killed, 2 Wounded by Bandits

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—One policeman was killed and two were wounded, one critically, by bandits who today held up the office of Morris & Co., here, and escaped with a small amount of payroll money.

Five Deaths as Result of Explosion

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Five deaths were reported early today in hospitals at Downey and Artesia, near here, as a result of the explosion yesterday of a gasoline tank and gasoline tank wagon while scores were fighting a fire in a gasoline filling station at Downey. Five others seriously burned, were reported in a critical condition.

The dead:

WILLIAM C. JARVIS, Lancaster, Cal.

WALTER L. MULLEY, druggist, 35, Downey.

LESTER E. JOHNSON, student, 16, Downey.

EDWARD VANDERGRIFT, retired, 58, Downey.

CLYDE WIERBACHAU, clerk, 30, Downey.

The explosions followed an apparently harmless little fire in the house of the gasoline filling station. The fire alarm brought scores of high school students and townspeople. These were hurled in all directions, some enveloped in the liquid flames from more than a thousand gallons of gasoline.

The force of the explosion was felt for a considerable distance, and occasioned reports of a loss of a hundred lives, which, broadcast by telephone, ambulances and medical aid from Los Angeles and other nearby towns.

Property loss was limited to destruction of the gasoline filling station and one gasoline truck.

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